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The story of a Missourian who has not been pardoned, who was sentenced to die and who goes where he chooses, exclusively in the next

SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

FAIR WOMAN.

HIS CHOICE.

For Maggie has written a letter
To give me my choice between
The wee little whimpering Love
And the great god, Nick O' Teen.

And I have been a servant of Love
For barely a twelvemonth clear,
But I've been a Priest of Partagas
A matter of seven year.

And the gloom of my bachelor days
Is flecked with the cheery light
Of stumps I have burned to Friendship
And Pleasure and Work and Fight.

Open the old cigar box—
Let me consider anew;
Old friends—and who is Maggie,
That I should abandon you?

A million surplus Maggies
Are willing to bear the yoke;
And a woman is only a woman,
But a good cigar is a smoke.

RUDYARD KIPLING.

That's just the way with some men. They think more of a cigar than a woman does of a pug dog.

They would give up home or their hope of heaven before they would give up tobacco.

Same way about hating people. Some folks would hate you till the end of the world, no matter what reparation you might offer to make for an affront.

Look at those people down in Kentucky, for example. There is the most admirable bunch of "good haters" that ever happened.

Dr. Samuel Johnson, that uncouth old genius, said: "I love a good hater."

If the bulbous-headed old philosopher could return to earth and stop off in Clay County, Ky., he would be in love with every White, Baker and Howard in it, not to mention their hundreds of relatives.

A new and intensely interesting story in connection with the Baker-Howard feud will be a feature of the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Missouri has furnished one of the strangest stories in real life ever known to the courts of this land.

There is within her borders a man who has been convicted of murder and sentenced to hang, yet who is free and may always remain so.

His neighbors believe he has been pardoned, but this is not true.

He escaped from jail and wandered all over the country. Tiring of travel, he returned to Missouri and settled within 40 miles of the place where he was to have been hung.

He goes about his daily business just the same as you and I, and fears no man. Everybody knows that he is a murderer, yet nobody has ever attempted to arrest him.

Read this remarkable story in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

You know about Dolly Madison. She was a heart-breaker for keeps. She was about the smoothest woman the first end of this century produced. The biggest men of the nation worshipped her, not only for her beauty, but for her personal graces. No mistress of the White House was ever more popular than she—not even the lovely Frances Folsom Cleveland.

Our President's wives, as a rule, have not been beautiful. Most of them have had to depend upon tact, ingenuity, the milliner and the modiste. But a more interesting lot of women it would be hard to find.

The Sunday Post-Dispatch has collected pictures of all of them, from Martha Washington to Mrs. McKinley, and they will be presented next Sunday.

There will be photographs of the living and photographs of paintings of the dead.

Talking about women—think what a difference there is between the feminine garb of to-day and that which was in vogue during the last century!

What would you think if you were to call on your best girl and find her arrayed in a dress of the pattern of 1776?

There is no doubt that she would look perfectly killing, all right, all right, but how odd she would appear!

The styles of the Revolution and the styles of to-day will be sharply contrasted in some excellent pictures in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

A St. Louisan recently had a series of thrilling experiences in the wilds of Central America. He is down there prospecting for gold, not finding much, but accumulating a beautiful bronze complexion and lay [illegible] great stack of stories to [illegible] when he returns to Mis- [illegible]

MOTHER WILL KEEP THE GIRL.

Mrs. Harry L. Edwards Won a Partial Victory.

WILL RETAIN HER CHILD.

CUSTODY AWARDED TO HER BY JUDGE WITHROW.

Probably Final Ending of Habeas Corpus Proceedings That Have Kept the Courts of Two States Busy for Six Months.

Judge James E. Withrow refused the application of Harry L. Edwards Friday for a writ of habeas corpus, commanding his wife, Jessie P. Edwards, to surrender to him their 9-year-old daughter, Willie May. The court awarded the possession of the child to her mother as the more fit of the parents to have her.

By the terms of the decree little Willie May will remain in the custody of her mother for one year, at least, unless the court decides to revoke its decree during that time.

Whether Mrs. Edwards will retain possession of her daughter permanently depends upon her conduct during the period of probation. If, at the end of that time, she can show that she has been a careful and considerate custodian and that her character has not been besmirched by any conduct subsequent to the decree, the order awarding the custody of the child to her will be made final and may never again be questioned.

The courtroom was crowded with attorneys and interested spectators when Judge Withrow ascended his bench at 10 o'clock Thursday. Harry L. Edwards, the petitioner, again sent word that he was confined to his bed in Vernon, Tex., with a fever and could not be present to hear the court's decree. He was represented by his attorney, John O. Marshall.

Mrs. Edwards, handsomely gowned, but pale from the strain of the occasion, occupied a seat in a remote corner of the courtroom. Her eyelids were red from the tears she had shed during the night before from contemplating the possibility of being separated from her child by the court's decree. Near her sat Ernest G. Goldsmith, her attorney, her sister, Mrs. Ruth Alice Taylor of Fort Worth, Tex., and the child, Willie May. The latter fanned her mother constantly and caressed her affectionately. At intervals she cried, showing that she appreciated the occasion and understood that she might be separated from her mother.

Judge Withrow's opinion was brief. It was written and occupied but a few minutes in reading. It is as follows:

I am satisfied from the evidence that the conduct of the petitioner during the last five years of his married life has been such as to render him an unfit person to have the care and custody of his infant female child.

Nor is the reputation of the respondent shown to be without blemish. The evidence shows that she has been for several years, to say the least, a very indiscreet wife and mother.

While the testimony of many witnesses tends to show facts from which a court might reasonably infer a violation of her marriage vows, there is no positive evidence that she has ever committed adultery.

Under the circumstances I have concluded to give her an opportunity to demonstrate her devotion to her child, by correcting her course of life, and conducting herself in a manner becoming a prudent married woman, living apart from her husband and the mother of a bright and interesting little girl.

The following decree will, therefore, be rendered:

The custody of the child, Willie May Edwards, is hereby awarded to her mother, Jessie P. Edwards, for the term of one year, unless otherwise ordered by the court in the meantime, for good cause shown.

The petitioner, Harry L. Edwards, shall have permission to visit said child at the residence of its said custodian, Jessie P. Edwards, in the City of St. Louis, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m., on the second and fourth Sundays of each month; but said child shall not be taken out of said City of St. Louis without the permission of the court or the judge thereof in vacation.

And leave is hereby given to the said Harry L. Edwards, or said Jessie P. Edwards, to apply to the court at the expiration of said time for a further order of the court, touching the custody of said child thereafter, and for that purpose the court retains jurisdiction and control of this cause and the parties thereto.

Mrs. Edwards clasped the child tightly in her arms and covered her face with kisses as Judge Withrow concluded the reading of his decree. She smiled in approval and hurried from the courtroom, in company with her sister and her attorney.

The decision of the court, while a victory for Mrs. Edwards, is a great disappointment to her in some respects. It allows Edwards to renew the proceeding at any time he may desire and she must go to the trouble and expense of answering every time he asks the court for relief. She expected the decree of the court to be final and to terminate for a specific time at least any effort on the part of the father to get possession of his child in a court of law. Mrs. Edwards says she has no doubt she will retain the possession of Willie May, although Edwards should should bring a proceeding to inquire into her right to it, but she says she dreads to be harassed and annoyed in such a way.

Mrs. Edwards cannot take Willie May out of St. Louis without the permission of Judge Withrow within a year. She says, however, that this order is no inconvenience to her, as she has taken up her residence permanently at 3426 Pine street.

Little Willie May has been the cause of six proceedings at law for her possession between her parents within the last six months.

According to testimony adduced at the hearings of the various cases in this city, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards separated in December, 1898. They quarreled over the possession of the child soon after the separation and Mrs. Edwards instituted suit in the District Court at Fort Worth, Tex., in February. She dismissed this proceeding in a few days and Edwards filed a similar suit. Mrs. Edwards brought Willie May to St. Louis before she was served with notice of her husband's proceeding. He followed her to St. Louis and applied to Judge Spencer February 25 for a writ of habeas corpus, awarding the custody of the child to him. Judge Spencer declined to issue the writ after he heard the evidence in the case.

Edwards returned to Texas and prosecuted his suit in the Fort Worth District Court to judgment and secured an order awarding him the custody of his child. Armed with a certified copy of this order he came to St. Louis in May and asked Judge Withrow to decree possession of the child to him on the ground that the courts of one State must give full faith and credit to the decrees of another State. Mrs. Edwards' attorneys contended that the judgment of the Texas court was not entitled to credit because it had been procured through fraud, inasmuch as no [illegible] been made on Mrs. Edw [illegible] May. [illegible]

SOME MAY SIGN THE WAGE SCALE.

General Strike Not Probable in Iron Mills.

TIME IS UP AT MIDNIGHT.

WHEN AGREEMENT IS MADE PLANTS WILL BE IDLE.

Secretary Williams of the Amalgamated Association Is Sanguine That a General Cessation of Work Will Be Avoided.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 30.—All the annual scales of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Plate Workers of the United States expire at midnight to-night, and if operations are to continue with the present employes the new schedule of wages prepared by the Amalgamated convention at Detroit must be accepted before that time. However, the situation turns out in the end, it is certain that not all of the mills will be concerned in a stoppage of operations.

A number of manufacturers have already stated their intention to sign the scale and the workers believe that before midnight others who have not made any declaration will accept the terms and renew relations with the organization. From the attitude taken by some of the manufacturers it is sure that some of the mills will not work after to-day with their present employes. At some of them the scale of the Amalgamated Association has been paid and the manufacturers are willing to pay the new rate, but with the association itself, they will have nothing to do. This may cause trouble, but as work is so plentiful it is thought the men will quietly seek employment elsewhere as they did at the Moorhead plant, where the firm refused to recognize the organization and discharged the puddlers, replacing them with negroes.

Secretary John Williams, of the Amalgamated Association, was sanguine to-day that matters would come out all right, but was not bound by predictions or promises. He said the association is on a sure basis, especially in the Pittsburg district, and that the lodges which had gone to pieces during the past few years had been reorganized, and would present the iron scale to their employers individually. Continuance of operations will not depend upon single plants as heretofore, when the scale was accepted or rejected in conference, for all mills.

Work will continue at the mills which accept the scale ,and labor will cease at places which refuse recognition. This programme, he said, would apply to all mills whether now classed under the name of union plants or non-union.

Mills that are non-union to-day, will appear as union plants to-morrow, after the scale has been presented.

Secretary Williams said the scale would be offered at almost every mill, but exactly how many he declined to say. He said that the association had been assured by a number of manufacturers—some of whom have not been union manufacturers either—that they would sign the scale and from that he believes the situation will be handled without trouble. In the matter of the tin plate factories a general shut-down would take place to-night, pending the action of the lodges on the scale rejected by the manufacturers.

"The Mysterious Wand."—July 3.

DARK DAYS FOR THE ICEMAN.

Plant for the Manufacture of Liquid Air 312 Degrees Below Zero Now in Operation.

NEW YORK, June 30.—Oscar P. Ostergren and Moriz Burger have established a plant on West Thirty-third street, which is capable with 100 horse-power, developed by steam, of manufacturing about 1500 gallons of liquified air in 24 hours, or about a gallon a minute.

The air can be produced at a cost of 6c to 8c a gallon with rough apparatus, or 2c to 3c a gallon with perfected apparatus. It is useful both as a refrigerant and as a motive power. The air produced is at a temperature of 312 degrees below zero. Mr. Ostergren is now devising a system for cooling dwelling houses and hospitals by distributing liquefied air by means of a fan. The product may also be used as an explosive.

The air to be liquefied is taken through a stand-pipe from above the roof of the factory, and after being washed and filtered is compressed, until the gauge shows a pressure of 1200 degrees. This pressure makes heat, so the compressed air, after being cooled by passing it through coils of pipe immersed in water, is permitted to escape into a chamber where it expands instantly and turns to liquid, which can be drawn from a receiver under the chamber.

The air which does not liquefy passes again through the system and cools the incoming air so that by this circulation the temperature is kept below 312 degrees, at which temperature compressed air becomes liquid. This process can be kept up for an indefinite period.

TRAIN THROWN OFF A BANK.

Engineer Killed, Fireman Seriously Hurt and Eight Cars Demolished.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., June 30.—The south bound Vandalia through freight train on the Logansport Division of the Vandalia was wrecked at 5:30 this morning at Heckland, eight miles north of Terre Haute. Engineer Frank Cruikshank, of Logansport, was instantly killed and Fireman Charles Holland of this city, was injured, his leg and arm being broken. The wreck was caused by a car door on the tracks and precipitated the locomotive and nine cars down a 30-foot embankment. The car door was firmly wedged between the tracks and there is a suspicion it was placed there intentionally. The engine and cars were almost totally demolished.

METHODISTS SUPPORT A PRIEST

They Will Vote for the Rev. Father Heldmann for Congress.

CHICAGO, June 30.—Father Heldmann of St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church, who is anxious to run for Congress as a Democrat in the Second Illinois District, has received strong assurance of support from the Epworth League, an organization of Methodist young people, which pledges him support.

ME [illegible] BUFFALO.

MANY WILL SORROW.

MISS FANNIE WATERS OF ST. LOUIS IS DEAD IN ST. PAUL.

WAS A WELL-KNOWN TEACHER.

Her Health Had Been Failing for Several Years and She Decided to Submit to an Operation.

Miss Fannie Waters, a teacher in the senior grade at the High School, is dead in St. Paul.

According to her wish the body will be incinerated and the ashes interred in St. Louis.

The news of Miss Waters' death will be a shock to thousands in St. Louis, to the friends of her parents, the late James L. and Mary C. Waters; to her own friends, and to those instructed by her during the several years of her connection with the public schools.

In the school room Miss Waters was firm but kind, and she was greatly loved by those she taught. Socially she was warmly admired for her fine intellect, tact and sunny disposition. To those who knew her well Miss Waters' failing health has been noticeable the last two or three years, particularly since the death of her mother.

Ten months ago she stored her furniture and with her young nephew, James Adrian, boarded with Mrs. Bruen at 3141 Bell avenue.

It had been her custom to pass her vacation in travel. This year she elected to go north, and on June 11, with Mr. Adrian, went to St. Paul.

There the old trouble—a tumor—asserted itself and Miss Waters was compelled to rest. A physician recommended an operation as the one chance for life. Last week letters reached Mrs. Bruen and a married sister, Mrs. William Wilson of Kirkwood, saying that Miss Waters had consented to the operation. Neither letter was hopeful, the writer saying she feared the worst.

The details of her death, which occurred Monday, have not reached St. Louis, but the supposition of her friends is that she succumbed to the operation.

Supt. Bryan, of the High School, and the School Board, were ignorant of Miss Waters' death Friday morning.

ONE SYSTEM FOR ALL NEW YORK

Deal for Consolidation of Surface and Elevated Roads Is Again Pending.

NEW YORK, June 30.—It is admitted that a deal is again pending for consolidation of all the surface and elevated railroad systems in Greater New York, a scheme interrupted by the death of Roswell P. Flower, the first promoter. Whether the Whitney interest, represented by the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, or the Gould-Sage interest in Manhattan "L" will control remains to be seen.

The new company's capitalization will approximate $200,000,000. In Brooklyn the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company has acquired the principal lines, but there is a straggling line here and there yet to be taken in. This company will also purchase the street railway lines in Queens County, of which Long Island City is the business center.

COOL AND FAIR WEATHER.

Forecaster Spencer Thinks the Present Conditions May Prevail Here Until Sunday.

This chilly weather is all right with some folks that I know,
But to a chap like me it is almost an awful blow;
For when the summer came, you see, to "Uncle" prompt I went
And hocked my winter raiment and my overcoat! Anent
Th' arrival of this norther crazy nearly I have gone,
For I've only crash and serges—all my warm togs are in pawn!
And my teeth keep up a chatter to the whistling of the blast,
As it penetrates my sieve-like clothes. Ugh! I hope this thing won't last!

MELOX.

Dr. E. E. Spencer, acting weather physician, uncorked another cold bottle Friday morning after he had made a diagnosis of the case.

He predicts that it will continue fair and cool Friday, Saturday and probably Sunday.

"I can't see any rain or warm weather for some time to come on this map," he said. "The high area is general over the entire country except a small part of the Rockies in South Dakota, and it isn't very low there. The extreme high over the lake region has pushed southward, but the most encouraging sign is a high area of great energy over the Northwest, which is headed this way.

"I figure on the cool weather continuing at the least until Saturday, and probably until Sunday. The thermometer registered 64 at 7 o'clock this morning and the barometer is high."

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

FAIR.

St. Louis—Fair Friday night and Saturday; warmer Friday night.

Missouri and Illinois—Fair Friday night and Saturday; warmer Friday night.

Indiana—Fair Friday night and Saturday; warmer Saturday; easterly winds.

Iowa—Fair Friday night and Saturday; warmer Friday night; southerly winds.

Kansas—Fair Friday night and Saturday; warmer Friday night; southerly winds.

Mississippi—Partly cloudy Friday night; fair Saturday; continued low temperature; light northerly to northeasterly winds.

Eastern Texas—Showers Friday night; threatening Saturday; variable winds.

Oklahoma, Indian Territory and Arkansas—Partly cloudy Friday night; increasing cloudiness Saturday; northeasterly to easterly winds.

Kentu [illegible] Tennessee—Fair and continued low temper [illegible] Friday night; fair and warmer Saturday; n [illegible] easterly winds.

Stage of Water.

The gauge at St. Louis Friday morning marked 20.9 feet, a rise of .2 of a foot. The river at St. Louis will fall.

Hourly Temperature.

(Government Thermometer.)

6 a. m.	[illegible]	11 a. m.	[illegible]
7 a. m.	[illegible]	Noon	[illegible]
8 a. m.	[illegible]		
9 a. m.	[illegible]		
10 a. m.	[illegible]		

Here and [illegible]

St. Louis [illegible]
New York [illegible]
Chicago [illegible]

GEN. ALGER HAS A BLIND SIDE.

Unable to See What Is Plain to the President.

THAT IT IS TIME FOR HIM TO GO.

TALK OF SERVING HIM WITH A WRIT OF EJECTMENT.

After Yoking Himself With Pingree the War Secretary Goes Along as If Nothing Had Happened.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, June 30.—The Alger problem is as vexatious to the President as is the Philippine situation. Gen. Alger, although he is keen-sighted enough to have accumulated many millions, appears to have a blind side. While realizing the peculiar optical infirmity of the War Secretary, other members of the Cabinet declare it is impossible that he should be blind to the fact that his continuance in the Cabinet is an embarrassment to the Administration. There is an air of defiance about the way he insists that he has no thought of resigning, as if his wish were the only thing to be considered in the matter. If his record in the department had been all that could be desired, the fact that he has entered the contest for the Senate against a supporter of the Administration now in the Senate, and that in doing so he has made an alliance with Gov. Pingree and the anti-Administration element in Michigan, would seem to be sufficient reason for him to relieve the Administration from further responsibility for his action.

He appears to be acting on the assumption that he is an independent agent in the Cabinet, holding that position as a matter of right without respect to the wishes or interests of the Administration. The ridiculous position in which he has been placed by the failure of his attempt to make it appear that Gov. Pingree is a thorough-going McKinley man, does not seem to make any impression on him. It is believed that the President will be compelled to tell him plainly that his continuance in the Cabinet is embarrassing, and politicians are saying facetiously to-day that they suppose the President will have to resort to a writ of ejectment.

Mr. Alger cannot be continued in the Cabinet without offending both the Michigan Senators, and the manner in which Mr. Pingree repudiated the assertion that he was for McKinley, coupling it with an attack upon the Administration, renders it impossible for Alger to maintain his relations with both the President and the Michigan Governor.

Politicians here are wishing that Gov. Pingree would say plainly whether or not he has Presidential aspirations. The Secretary is quoted as saying Gov. Pingree doesn't want the Michigan delegation in the next Republican national convention; that Pingree has a right to his personal views, and that he hardly believes Pingree spoke his anti-McKinley view anyway. At least, he has serious doubts whether the Governor was correctly quoted.

Other politicians have no such doubts. They say it was Pingreesque all through, and what they want to know most of all is whether the Governor's attack upon the President means that he will score in the Presidential race against McKinley next year.

OLD ANTI-TRUST LAW EFFECTIVE

Writ of Ouster Granted Against the Seventy-Three Iusurance Companies Doing Business in St. Joseph.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 30.—Supreme Court in banc awarded writ of ouster against the 73 foreign insurance companies doing business in St. Joseph, for violation of the anti-trust law.

The court denied the Attorney-General a writ of ouster against the Lindell Railway Company of St. Louis.

The opinion against the insurance companies was written by Marshall, Gantt, C. J., and Robinson objecting specifically and Valliant objecting in toto.

The court finds violation of the anti-trust law by maintenance at St. Joseph of the Underwriters' Social Club of St. Joseph, which fixed rates for insurance according to the book of rates prepared by W. J. Fetter. Gantt and Robinson dissent from ousting the Newark Fire Insurance Company, Norwalk Fire Insurance Company, London Assurance Corporation, Citizens' Insurance Company of New York, Union Insurance Company of Philadelphia or Equitable Fire and Marine Company of Providence on ground that these companies were not members of the St. Joseph social club. Option holds them liable because they made common cause in joint answer and pleadings. Under the decision, none of these 73 companies can continue business in the State.

KILLED AT FAIR GROUNDS.

Edward Phillips Was Shot by John Fay and Died Within a Few Minutes.

John Fay shot and killed Edward Phillips at the Fair Grounds Friday afternoon.

Fay is 18 years of age and lives at 4306 Farlin avenue. Immediately after the shooting Fay was arrested and locked up at the Fair Grounds substation.

GENERAL STRIKE IN PROSPECT

Chicago Stockyards Being [illegible] in Anticipation of [illegible] July 1.

50,000 TROOPS ARE ENOU

Harrison Grey Otis' View the Philippine War.

STANDING ARMY NECESSARY

TIME WILL BE REQUIRED TO ESTABLISH ORDER THERE.

He Thinks That Gen. Otis Has No Serious Mistakes and Is Competent to Deal With Every Emergency That Arises.

CHICAGO, June 30.—Gen. Harrison Grey Otis of Los Angeles, Cal., who was with the Eighth Army Corps at Manila when the insurrection began, and who saw nearly a year's fighting around that city, arrived in Chicago last night, en route for Washington. He stopped at the Palmer House and will remain in the city until to-night before proceeding eastward. His visit to Washington will mark his muster out of the volunteer service.

Gen. Otis discussed the situation in the Philippines at considerable length and took the hopeful view that with the additional troops to be furnished the war would be terminated before the next rainy season sets in.

"With 50,000 troops all told—say 30,000 for the fighting columns and 20,000 for garrison duty," he said, "Gen. Otis can suppress the revolt before the next rainy season, restore peace, establish order, protect all well-meaning natives of Luzon in their rights of person and property and establish and maintain a simple, economical, just and effective government over the islands."

"Do you believe the Filipinos are capable of self-government or will it be necessary for the United States to maintain a standing army on the islands for a great length of time?"

"In their present state I do not believe the Filipinos are capable of self-government. If the restraint and control of the Government were withdrawn from them now I believe they would be at each other's throats in a very short time and make a farce of self-government. The conclusion from this premise, therefore, is that it will be necessary for the United States to maintain a considerable force in the islands for an indefinite period. Such a course will, in my judgment, be unavoidable if we are to hold, protect and properly govern the possessions we wrested from Spain as legitimate prizes of war in an honorable combat.

"This country owes much to itself and it owes the distinct obligation of providing a sound, adequate and just government to the natives of the Philippine group. Moreover, it owes something to the world in this regard, for it would be a shame and a reproach to an enlightened nation to conquer and possess a half civilized land, and then abandon it without adequate governmental protection and internal security."

"Has there ever been any question as to the duty of the Government in the Philippines?"

"I cannot see how the duty of the Government in the Philippines can be questioned by any self-respecting Am with a proper conception of the ad uation. It was not possible t tilities after the capture of Ma most careful, honest and persist to accomplish that so desirable re made by Major-General Otis, and command in obedience to the ord President of the United States.

"Regarding the general situ Philippines let these prime fact in mind:

"First, with even the small f available in Luzon, the army has torious in every engagement; seco rious mistakes have been made b General Otis, either military or has shown himself to be a co with a strong grasp on the situati ability, experience, skill, integri marvelous capacity for work."

VALENCIA HAS SAIL

Transport Carries Nearly 6 Officers and Hospita

WASHINGTON, June 30 partment is in receipt of patch:

"San Francisco, June 29.—Adju eral, Washington: Transport Va yesterday evening with headquar Troops B and M, Tenth Cavalry, cers, 195 men, 200 rounds carbine, ammunition per man; Companies Twenty-fifth Infantry, three off men, 200 rounds rifle ammunition one assistant surgeon, one acting surgeon, six men hospital corps.

"SHAFTER, Comma

BLOODLETTING HIS SALV

Removal of Clots From a New Brain Brings Back His Me and Speech.

GENEVA, N. Y., June 30.—Eu zee of Oaks Corners, through an on the brain in the City Hospita Friday, has regained the power recovered his memory and ha lieved of paralysis of the right

A blood vessel in the brain ha tured by a falling timber. A than a half pint of blood clots matter was removed from the the brain cavity.

The effect of the operation wa almost as soon as Brazee was re influence of anesthetics.

HOTEL GUESTS IN

Forty Inmates of the At enport Held Prisoners tion Against Small

DAVENPORT, Io., June 30.— of smallpox was discovere lantic House. The patient who has been removed to The hotel has been antine and guards have been pl it, confining 45 inmates.

ASKS FOR $30,000 A

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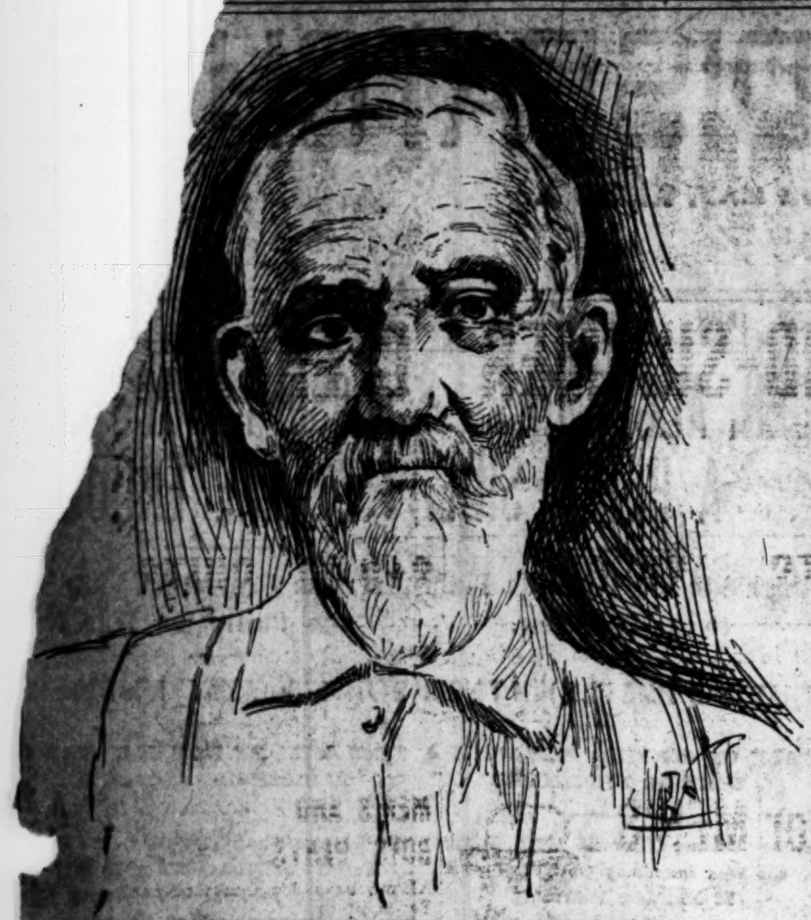

ALEXANDER JESTER, ALIAS WM. A. HILL.

From a sketch of the prisoner made for the Post-Dispatch in the jail at Tecumseh, O. T.

DREYFUS NOT YET IN FRANCE.

Rumors of His Death Have Agitated Paris.

THE REPORTS ARE DENIED.

HIS DEVOTED WIFE WAITS FOR HIM AT RENNES.

She Says the Captain When Acquitted Will Live in France and Carry His Head Erect.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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PARIS, June 30.—Last evening newspapers caused some excitement in the streets by printing extras giving currency to a report that Dreyfus died at sea on the way from Devil's Island to France.

The Soir says this grave news leaked out through a high official who confided to a friend that the Government received three days ago a dispatch announcing that Dreyfus had died on board the Sfax and that immediately the cruiser was ordered to keep away for five days, in order to give the Government time to take precautionary measures to cope with the demonstrations likely to be made when the report became

story found credence because Dreyfus
said to be very ill when he em-
from Devil's Island, and also be-
e story would explain the other-
accountable delay of the Sfax.
pointed out, too, as confirmation
mor that M. Viguie, Chief of Pub-
had been recalled from Brest

r-Dispatch correspondent prompt-
out Premier Waldeck-Rousseau,
to learn the truth.
emier professed utter ignorance
ch sensational dispatch, as it is
Government received, adding that
is dead he (the Premier) doesn't

however, that he cannot explain
of the Sfax and he declines to
igule has been recalled from

aris stated that Mme. Drey-
aken to Rennes the uniform her
wore at the time of his public
on with the gold lace restored,
as torn from the uniform.
osecution has cited the 27 witnesses
ar in the Dreyfus court-martial

eported that Capt. Dreyfus will be
to-day two miles from Brest and
Rennes, where he will arrive at

lic. "They would not dare to do an injustice. The whole country will be the jury. I leave my husband's fate not to the court-martial, but to the country."

On the advice of M. Havet, member of the Institute, who accompanied Mme. Dreyfus, the Post-Dispatch correspondent met their train at Versailles. He was invited into their compartment and traveled in their company as far as Chartres.

Mme. Dreyfus looks to be 30 years old. She is rather handsome, brunette, pale, sad but brave; no moan, no tear from her. She was dressed elegantly, but simply in mourning, which she has worn since her husband's condemnation.

"Was your husband the victim of a conspiracy?" the correspondent asked Mme. Dreyfus.

"No," she answered. "Why a conspiracy? Mistakes were committed, in good faith at first. Then arose the desire to hide these blunders from the public because of attacks on the army that would surely rise out of them."

"Yes," Mme. Dreyfus said in answer to another question, "it has been unfortunate that the anti-military party has used my husband's case as a weapon and has fought us. Thus justice has been delayed, for the military party was driven to defend itself by fair means or foul."

"You must be bitter against your husband's enemies," the correspondent suggested.

"I have no hatred for anybody," Mme. Dreyfus said. But she added: "Except for Esterhazy and Lebon, the former Minister of the Colonies, whose orders were unnecessarily cruel to my husband. I shall never forgive Lebon for sending him to that torturing island."

"But you are happy to-day?"

"Happy? Yes. It scarcely seems true that the day has come at last for which I have waited so long, for which I have endured such long periods of despair."

"And you are confident of his acquittal?"

"Yes; for now there is nothing left against my husband. For what could they punish him? Yet my heart will be uneasy until he is acquitted. For are there not officers who still insult him, who still foam at the mouth at the mere mention of his name, despite the proofs of his innocence?"

"When your husband is set right before the world, will he leave France?"

"No; he will not leave France," answered Mme. Dreyfus with decision. "Capt. Dreyfus has no reason to hide himself. He owes it to himself and to his children to live right in France. And here he will live with head erect."

"You have never doubted his innocence?"

"Never! Never!"

"Pardon, but if there should be a new condemnation?"

"I would fight it for five years, for ten years, for all my life," exclaimed the truest woman of this tragedy, "for I know he is innocent."

And she added joyously:

"I shall be allowed to see him immediately on his arrival. Permission was granted to me a week ago."

Arriving here Mme. Dreyfus was met by some of her relatives, a hundred journalists and three hundred citizens, among whom were sprinkled many police. There was respectful silence. All the men raised their hats as she alighted from the train and passed out of the station.

The house she occupies is constantly guarded by four gendarmes, but her presence has excited no manifestation of any kind.

She has received thousands of telegrams, and baskets of flowers come to her by every train.

ROUTE OF THE SFAX.

t Devil's Island June 10 With Dreyfus on Board.

rrespondence of the Post-Dispatch.

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BRING HOME VOLUNTEERS.

Efforts Made to Get Them Away From the Philippines.

WASHINGTON, June 30.—Under direct orders from the President, every nerve is to be strained to get the volunteer regiments away from the Philippines without a day of delay. Even the important work of sending reinforcements is to be considered secondary to the necessity of returning the volunteers. The President feels that they have been kept too long already and is anxious to see the last man homeward bound.

To facilitate the work the administration has ordered transports to clear from San Francisco as soon as they can be made ready for sea, whether there are recruits ready or not. They will take reinforcements when there are any ready to sail, but after arrival will hasten back for volunteers without regard to the new recruits for Otis. The President has also authorized the purchase of two new transports, which will be put into the regular service as soon as they can be equipped. After the volunteers are retired the transports will carry back full loads of regulars and when they are landed will return for the new volunteers.

No colored regiments will be organized for service in the Philippines. Any colored men enlisted will be assigned to vacancies in the present colored regiments of the regular army. The experiment of the War Department with colored volunteers during the Spanish War was not a happy one, and in spite of reports which come from the Philippines to the effect that the colored man is greatly feared by the Filipinos.

The authorities are averse to running the risk of a repetition of the troubles of last year.

The selection of officers for the additional regiments is now being made. Gen. Otis has selected officers for the regiments to be organized under his supervision and the War Department officials are going over the efficiency reports of officers who served during the Spanish War for the purpose of selecting leaders for the regiments to be organized at home. The President will have the appointment of [illegible]

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MAKING A PLAY AT ECONOMY.

Nine Street Railway Inspectors Discharged.

NINE NEW ONES MAY BE NAMED

LIST OF SPRINKLING INSPECTORS HANDED IN.

Much Secretiveness, Mystery and Confusion About the Appointments and the Mayor's Office Crowded With the Faithful.

Exposures by the Post-Dispatch of the city inspecting forces has brought fruit in the shape of an economy play by the administration. Under orders from the Mayor, Street Commissioner Varrelmann Friday discharged nine of the 16 street railway inspectors. He declined to make public the names of the men discharged.

Nobody believes this means a genuine movement toward economy. It is thought other appointments will be quietly made in the course of a few weeks. The discharge of nine men is regarded as merely a political move to get rid of nine "dead ones" and give the places to nine "live ones" when the economy racket has had its effect.

Street Commissioner Varrelmann said the men were discharged because there was no work for them to do. So far as it is known there is as much work for street railway inspectors now as there has been at any time within the past decade. They are paid $2 a day, and nobody has ever been able to find out that they did any work. They are in charge of Mark Chartrand, who receives $100 a month. He finds time outside of his official duties to act as agent for an insurance company and receiver for several building and loan associations. Mr. Chartrand is not one of those discharged.

Street Commissioner Varrelmann sent his list of appointments of sprinkling inspectors to the Mayor to be formally approved Friday morning. Of course they were approved before he sent the list down to the Mayor, because the list which the Street Commissioner sent to the Mayor was a pretty good copy of a list which the Mayor had sent to the Street Commissioner.

Son Fred, who is the Mayor's private secretary, was very secretive about the appointments. They must be approved and he couldn't possibly make them public until they were acted upon by the Mayor.

Street Commissioner Varrelmann was equally mysterious. The list was in the Mayor's hands, and he hadn't a copy. Yes he had, too, but it was all mixed up. He was retreating while he said this. When the reporter returned to the attack Mr. Varrelmann found refuge in that old gag about the appointments having to be approved by the Mayor.

The fact that appointments were to be made was apparent at a glance in the Mayor's office. It was crowded with politicians of all degrees. Some of them were in an ugly mood, and one bunch was laying down the law very straight to Fred Ziegenhein. Julius Wurzburger flitted from group to group, evidently acting in the capacity of peacemaker. Chris Schawacker was distributing tickets to the Merchants' League Club's Fourth of July celebration. Louis, alias "Tub," Beker looked remarkably well for a man who has been euchred out of a $2000 job and has received a $1500 job as a consolation prize. Theodore Kalbfell stood around with his hands in his pockets and the well-known sphinx expression on his face. Norman Florsheim as usual was making himself pleasant to the hoi polloi.

By all the rules Street Commissioner Varrelmann should have sent down to the Mayor the appointment of an assistant Street Commissioner. Of course the Mayor knew beforehand who it would be, but formalities must be complied with. Hiram Lloyd, who was thrown down for Building Commissioner, has been a prominent candidate for the place, and there will be trouble if he doesn't get it. John B. Owens was a candidate, but his reappointment as District Street Superintendent has satisfied him.

Julius Wurzburger must be taken care of, and he may fall back into his old place in the street department.

MOTHER WILL KEEP THE CHILD

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condition which did not prevail in the Texas court.

The taking of evidence was then begun and continued for 10 days. On May 19, Mrs. Edwards caused a suspension of the proceedings, by offering to return to her husband, provided he would make a home for her. Judge Withrow gave him until last Thursday to comply with this condition. His attorneys appeared in court several days ago and announced that their client had made the necessary home, but declared that Mrs. Edwards had refused to return to him. Mrs. Edwards' attorneys announced that Edwards was not acting in good faith and read letters from him to enforce their contention.

Judge Withrow then ordered the case to proceed to judgment, as he declared he saw little hope for a reconciliation.

The hearing was resumed Thursday morning and continued through the entire day. The character of the parties was the only point upon which evidence was asked.

Edwards claims to be business manager of the Monterey (Mex.) Daily Globe. He says he is a native of Texas. His swarthy complexion gives him the appearance of a Mexican. He is reputed to have had a meteoric business career in Texas and Oklahoma. He was connected with a bank in Enid, O. T., that failed with many liabilities and few assets. Witnesses testified that he was known in Enid as a dashing gallant and associated with "high flyers."

Mrs. Edwards is the antithesis of Edwards in physical appearance. She is a decided blonde and has blue eyes. She, too, is a native of Texas. She says she married Edwards in 1888. She must have been very young then, for she [illegible] to be 3[illegible] now. She lives at [illegible] Pine street with her mother and sister [illegible] employed in a wholesale millinery [illegible]

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NUTTALL TOLD HIS STORY AGAIN.

The Little Grafter on Trial Charged With Perjury.

RENEWED HIS ALLEGATIONS.

ATTORNEYS FAILED TO INTIMIDATE HIM.

An Exciting Cross-Fire of Questions and Answers—The Court Room Crowded With Politicians Interested in the Case.

Harry Nuttall, the "little grafter," is again on the rack. His defense of the charge of perjury was begun in Judge Talty's court Friday morning. With witnesses Nuttall must prove that he paid H. H. Philper $150 for the engineer's license of Robert Nordburg, which was issued January 13, 1898, and that "Damn-the-State-of-Missouri" Price received a portion of the sum, or else he will suffer punishment for perjury.

Nordburg denied in toto the charge of payment for his license Thursday, as did Price and Philper. Nuttall was on the stand 30 minutes or more. He began meekly, but wound up much like his old self under cross-examination by Mr. Krum, special counsel for the prosecution.

Attorney Irwin asked, after the court opened, that an attachment be issued for Emile Albintz and that a conveyance be provided by the Sheriff to bring the man into court. Mr. Irwin said the witness was sick and unable to walk.

Judge Talty said he would not order a conveyance provided to bring witness into court and would not take the responsibility of ordering a sick person brought into court to testify. Attorney Irwin then asked that a regular attachment be issued. This was done.

Mr. Irwin began the presentation by defining perjury for the jury. He proceeded to inform the jurors as to the difference between the common acceptance of the term and the legal interpretation of the offense. He stated that perjury commonly meant false swearing. He said the law did not contemplate punishing a man for false swearing unless it should be material to some point at issue in a court of justice.

Attorney Chester H. Krum, special counsel for the prosecution interrupted Mr. Irwin and took exceptions to his explanation of the law.

Judge Talty instructed Mr. Irwin to confine himself to a statement of what the defense expected to prove. His honor stated that whatever the rule might be in other States, the instructions just given were in accordance with Missouri usages.

Mr. Irwin apologized to the court and proceeded. Again his honor stopped him for defining the law to the jury.

Defendant Nuttall, the "little grafter," was the first witness. The little man walked to the stand in a gentlemanly manner, looked the Judge squarely in the eye on ascending, and then looked at the jury while crossing his legs after being seated. Nuttall surveyed the courtroom apparently in search of the countenances of his late alleged confreres, "Damn-the-State-of-Missouri" Price and H. H. Philper.

Attorney Irwin began the examination along lines calculated to show the fraudulent practices followed in the issuance of engineers' licenses as exposed by the Post-Dispatch months ago. Mr. Irwin's intention in this was to refute the general statement made by Philper while on the stand Thursday that there had been no crookedness of any kind in the issuance of licenses.

Objections to this course of examination were frequently sustained, and Mr. Irwin was instructed to confine his questions to the facts in the Nordburg case, as charged in the indictment. Briefly, the charge of perjury is based on Nuttall's statement to the Major committee that he received $82 from Robert Nordburg for an engineer's license, of which he gave to Philper $50 and the latter divided it with Price. Philper, Price and Nordburg denied on the stand Thursday that the transaction occurred.

Nuttall related the story that has been told in the Post-Dispatch about the alleged payment of Nordburg's money to Philper by Nuttall in a saloon at the northwest corner of Eleventh and Chestnut streets.

Nuttall said Wm. T. Besser and Chas. Swanson were present when the payment was made. He said the money was four $10 bills and two $5 bills. He also stated that Philper handed to Price an envelope containing some money, in Burt's saloon at Eleventh and Pine streets.

Mr. Irwin delved into the work of the Boiler Inspector's office—as conducted by Price—and put question after question to Nuttall about the traffic in engineers' licenses that was fully exposed in the Post-Dispatch during the Major investigation.

Most of these questions were put to impeach Philper's testimony that there had never been an illegal transaction in the boiler inspectors' office. All were objected to and the objections were sustained. The resultant cross-fire between counsel seemed to awake in Nuttall some of the spirit he displayed before the Major Committee on the occasion of his first appearance before that body.

Attorney Krum addressed a long objection to the court. Nuttall fidgeted, crossed and uncrossed his legs repeatedly, batted his eyes and twisted his stubby mustache.

Nuttall broke into Mr. Krum's objection angrily with a contradiction of an immaterial fact. Mr. Krum silenced Nuttall with an imperative "I'm addressing the Court, not you." The "little grafter" was nonplussed for a minute, but after that incident he became a great deal more like his old self in demeanor than he has since the State Senate cowed him in February.

He answered questions rapidly, almost fiercely, and interspersed his answers with slang.

Nuttall told of a conversation between Philper and himself immediately following the expose by the Post-Dispatch in January. He gleefully related the alleged circumstances of Philper paying him expense money to remain away from St. Louis during the Major Committee's investigation of the Boiler Inspector's office.

Mr. Krum took the witness. The attorney opened on the "little grafter" with a discrepancy of dates. Nuttall had testified that J. D. Peters, Nordburg's employer, gave the latter $20 to purchase the license on June 5, 1[illegible] that Nordburg received the license [illegible]n. 13. Nuttall had also stated that he [illegible] Nordburg's company from the ti[illegible] furnished the [illegible] until it wa[illegible]

the witness chair to meet the advancing attorney, and, throwing his hand forward in emphasis, fairly hissed the statement that Nordburg returned the $50 to Peters January 6, a few hours after receiving it, because Philper had not kept the appointment and that the money was given to Nordburg by Peters again January 13, the day on which Nordburg secured his license.

Charles Swanson, who was present in the saloon at Tenth and Chestnut streets on the occasion when Nordburg's money was paid to Philper, as alleged by Nuttall, testified. Swanson said Nuttall, Philper, Nordburg and Besser were present. He said he knew nothing about the alleged money transaction.

H. C. Tulley, a member of the old Board of Engineers, followed Swanson. Mr. Tulley explained the prescribed rules for the issuance of engineers' licenses.

Col. Coates, the secretary of the Board of Engineers, testified that Nuttall was in the office of the Boiler Inspector a great many times.

Col. Coates testified that he did not recall having recorded $2 for the license of Robert Nordburg.

Attorney Jesse A. McDonald, who was counsel to the Major Committee, was brought into court on an attachment. Erwin stated that he had subpenaed Mr. McDonald to testify as to the testimony of Nuttall before the Major Committee, but that the stenographers' reports had served that purpose. Mr. McDonald was excused.

"The Mysterious Wand."—July 3.

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DEATHS.

BOYLE—On Friday, June 30, at 1 a. m., Patrick Boyle, beloved husband of Catherine Boyle.

Funeral from residence, No. 1432 North Seventeenth street, on Saturday, at 2 p. m., to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

DYSON—On June 29, 1899, at 11:30 a. m., at Woodland, St. Louis County, Priscilla Dyson, aged 90 years, 4 months and 15 days.

Funeral will take place from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willis Hord, on Saturday, July 1, at 8 p. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery.

GEORGE—On Thursday, June 29, at 11 a. m., Lucretia George, beloved wife of Michael George, age 31 years.

Funeral Saturday, July 1, at 9:30 a. m., from family residence, 421 South Garrison avenue, to St. Malachi's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of family invited to attend.

GREEN—Entered into rest on Thursday, June 29, at 2 a. m., after a lingering illness, Mrs. Lucy J. Green (nee Mulvaney), aged 57 years and 5 months.

Funeral Saturday, June 1, at 2 p. m., from residence, 113 South Ewing avenue. Friends of the family invited to attend. Interment private.

Bridgeport (Conn.) and Middletown (Conn.) papers please copy.

BECKER MUST STAND TRIAL.

Technical Point Raised by His Attorney Is Overruled.

CHICAGO, June 30.—When the hearing in the Becker wife-murder trial was resumed to-day before Judge Stein, Attorney Leon Hornstein for the defense made a formal motion that his client be discharged. He alleged that Becker had been placed in jeopardy once for the murder of his wife, and that Mrs. Elizabeth and Mrs. Theresa Becker were one and the same person.

The court, however, at once overruled the motion and announced that the hearing would proceed. Six of the original jurors were excused.

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PINGREE AND THE UNIONS.

Politics Figure in the Detroit Shoe Factory Strike.

DETROIT, Mich., June 30.—The Pingree & Smith shoe factory lockout is in full force to-day. Frank C. Pingree, brother of Gov. Pingree, who is manager of the business, said to-day:

"We have stood a good deal from the unions on account of Gov. Pingree's position in politics. No; there will be no decrease in wages if the men return. It is simply a question of who is going to run this business. We have not heard from the men yet."

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DECISION ON SHAW ESTATE.

Portions of the Realty May Now Be Disposed Of.

ACTION BY SUPREME COURT.

LEAVE GRANTED FOR FURTHER APPLICATION TO SELL.

Unimportant Property Between Shaw's Garden Is Now at the Disposal of the Board of Trustees.

A telegram Friday afternoon to the Post-Dispatch from Jefferson City states that the Supreme Court met in banc at 11:50 o'clock, and on an opinion by Special Judge Krauthoff reversed the judgment of Judge Valliant in the Shaw will case.

This means that all of the unimproved property of the Shaw estate west of Grand avenue cannot be sold, but that certain tracts can.

The application for permission to sell the other tracts is denied for want of sufficient showing that there is a present necessity, but the denial is without prejudice to renewal of application.

In his will Henry Shaw left to the trustees a large amount of unimproved property between Grand avenue and the garden and south of Tower Grove Park. All of this was made inalienable. It could never be sold by the trustees, but it was provided that the ground could be leased for residence purposes only and under restrictions for terms of 30 years with privilege of renewal.

Such leaseholds are common in Great Britain, but in St. Louis, with its westward movement of residence centers it was almost impossible to find people who would take such long leases on residence property without the privilege of buying or converting it to other uses.

The city grew out around the property. There was need of improvements. Because of failure to lease the property there was not revenue enough to even make enlargements of the garden contemplated by the will.

Attorney F. M. Judson, for the trustees, asked the Circuit Court to authorize the sale of parts of the property under restrictions as to the character of residences to be erected. Judge Valliant gave such a decree.

To remove all doubt it was arranged for a friendly appeal to be taken to the Supreme Court.

It was assigned to a division and argued, but on account of its importance was transferred to the court in banc. It was reargued there. The Judges were equally divided. The Court appointed as special Judge L. C. Krauthoff of Kansas City, in order that there might be a majority one way or the other.

The case was argued again and the opinion of Judge Krauthoff was handed down Friday.

In the opinion the findings and decrees are as follows:

"First—That the directions and restrictions contained in the first and third paragraphs of the first clause of the will of Henry Shaw, deceased, dated January 26, 1885, concerning the leasing and nonalienation by the trustees under said will, so far as the tracts hereinafter referred to as Nos. 3 and 4 are concerned, have, because of change of circumstances occurring since the death of said testator, become and are now impossible to be performed and observed, and that since said death there has arisen and now exists a necessity that said tracts Nos. 3 and 4 shall be sold and alienated as hereinafter provided.

"Second—That the tracts of land numbered 3 and 4, respectively, be sold and aliened in fee, free from any of the trusts, restrictions and conditions in said will declared and set forth, and subject only to the terms, restrictions and conditions in this decree or in the deed or deeds of conveyance to be made thereof by virtue hereof set forth, providing that such parts thereof as are now under lease or subject to any other right of possessions shall not be sold hereunder until such leases or other rights shall respectively have expired or been otherwise lawfully terminated.

"Third—That the net proceeds of all such sales shall be paid over to the plaintiffs' trustees and to their successors in trust; and that plaintiffs and their said successors are authorized to apply any moneys now in their hands as such trustees, and such of the future revenues of said trust which may be available for that purpose, or any part of said moneys, or revenues, in discharging any and all special taxes or assessments now or at any time hereafter levied against any of the tracts mentioned in the first clause of said will.

"Fifth—That whenever any deeds or other instruments conveying or affecting any part of the real or personal property belonging to the Board of Trustees thereof, shall have been duly authorized by a majority of the Board of Trustees of the Missouri Botanical Garden, and duly executed by the president of said board, that such deed or instrument as described is sufficient in law under the fourth paragraph of the first clause of said will to convey all right, title and interest of said board, and of each member thereof, in said real and personal estate to be conveyed or affected by such instrument, as fully, and with the same force and effect, as if each of said trustees had executed the same in person.

"Sixth—That all such deeds or instruments as described above shall pass to the grantee therein named, and his heirs and assigns.

"Seventh—That the application is the petition for authority to sell and alienate certain other tracts in the first clause of said will, which tracts are designated as Nos. 1, 2, 5 and 6 and the same is denied, for want of a sufficient showing that it is now impossible to lease the same as required by said will, or that there is a present necessity for the sale thereof, but such denial is specially declared to be without prejudice to any renewal of said application as to any or all of said tracts when plaintiffs or their successors are thereunto advised by counsel; and that this clause is ordered to stand continued from term to term with leave to make such renewed application on reasonable notice to the then Attorney-General of Missouri, and with the right reserved unto the court to make such other and further orders or decrees or modifications hereof as supplements hereto as to it may seem meet.

"Eighth—That either party hereto may hereafter, from time to time, apply to the court for such further orders as at the foot of this decree as may be necessary, for the due execution of the same.

"Ninth—That the costs of this proceeding shall be paid by the plaintiffs from the trust estate under their charge."

It is ordered that the Circuit Court take proper steps to substitute the persons or officers who have, pending this appeal, succeeded any of the plaintiffs as members of the Board of Trustees created by Shaw's will; that the present Attorney-General be substituted as a party defendant, and that the petition as to the individual defendants be dismissed. Chief Justice Gantt, Sherwood, Burgess and Marshall, Judges, concurred. Brace and Robinson, Judges, concur in the opinion, but dissent from the conclusion of the fact stated in paragraph of the opinion, and the direction to sell tract No. 3.

MISSOURI SUPREME COURT.

Adjournment of the Session in Banc Is Taken Until July 14.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 30.—The Supreme Court met in banc this morning and handed down opinions as follows: [illegible] Krauthoff, special judge: [illegible] Walker; reversed, with di- [illegible] affirmed [illegible] railway [illegible]

PEACE IN SAMOA.

DETAILS OF THE JOINT COMMISSION'S WORK.

THE KINGSHIP IS ABOLISHED.

An Administration or Governor Will Rule, Assisted by a Council of Three.

APIA, Samoa, June 16.—Via San Francisco, June 30.—Peace and quiet now reigns in Samoa in marked contrast to the warlike scenes of two months ago. The arrival of the auxiliary cruiser Badger on May 13, with the International Commission on board, caused a distinct change in affairs here. The commission lost no time but went to work immediately electing Mr. Tripp chairman and Mr. Morgan secretary. The commission held interviews, first with King Tanu and then with Mataafa. Tanu was not at first recognized as king by the commission. Tanu and his chiefs readily agreed to give up their arms and stated that they were prepared to accept any formal government the commission might recommend, even if the kingship was abolished. The following day Mataafa and his party came alongside the Badger, singing songs and flying the Samoan flag. The rebels were ordered to take down the flag, which they did. The commissioners explained to the chief that they had come to make peace and Mataafa said that he was tired of fighting as were his chiefs. He said his party would recognize any government fixed by the commission, but he hoped to have a king of Samoa, as it was an old established institution. Mataafa readily agreed to give up the guns held by his party but insisted that as the weapons were the private property of the natives they should receive compensation for them. The commissioners issued a proclamation stating that the guns would either be returned or proper payment made for them after all troubles had been settled. This, of course, means that payment will be made as it would be folly to return the weapons.

Mataafa's party asked if they could be represented by attorneys before the commission, but their request was declined.

After the Mataafa men had turned in eighteen hundred rifles and the Tanux supporters 2000 more, Tanu was invited on board the Badger. There he was informed that the commissioners supported the decision of Chief Justice Chambers and that Tanu had been King of Samoa ever since the decision had been rendered. Tanu said that he was willing to do anything for the good of Samoa and at the request of the commissioners resigned his Kingship to them.

The commission is now engaged in writing its report. The abolition of the Kingship will be a feature of the report, also the abolition of the office of President. Apia, a municipality, is to be governed by its Council and Mayor. This will relieve the municipality of an official drawing a salary of $6000 a year and who has in the past only been a source of friction in Apia. The judicial and diplomatic functions of the consuls will be greatly restricted and the commissioners recognize the fact that the Supreme Court and one law is sufficient for the needs of Samoa. Revenue will be raised by indirect taxation, by means of increased customs duties and the poll tax will be abolished. The licenses and tax rates of Apia will remain as formerly under the treaty. The Supreme Court will remain as under the treaty. An administrator or Governor will be appointed who will not be a subject of any of the treaty powers. He is to be assisted by a Legislative council of three, one appointed by each of the three powers. This council will legislate for the Samoans and will be aided by a small body of representative Samoans. The Governor will have the power of veto over all proposed laws. Chief Justice Chambers wishes to resign his position and return to the United States, but at the request of the commissioners has decided to remain.

Many claims have been lodged at the different consulates for damages to property for the past few months. While not empowered to take any action on these claims the commissioners agreed that real hardship had been suffered and it is understood that the commission will recommend that the three powers each pay the losses caused by its own subjects.

MR W. S. FLEMING PROTESTS.

Reply to Samuel D. Webster's Communication Regarding the Atlantic Street Railroad Bill.

Mr. W. S. Fleming replies as follows to a communication from Mr. Samuel D. Webster regarding the Atlantic street railroad bill:

Mr. Editor: In your issue of June 27 you printed a communication relative to the Atlantic street bill, now pending before the Council, signed Samuel Derrick Webster. The name Samuel D. Webster, private secretary of the President of the Terminal Association, appears in the city directory, and I take it that this is the impartial, public-spirited citizen who hastens into print to advocate the greed of the Terminal Association, and to attack me, in my defense of my property from practical confiscation, by a false statement of facts, calculated to prejudice the Council and the public against me. He says:

If you will observe the proceeding of the County Court of St. Louis County you will see that the gentleman whose vigorous 'protest' you publish is asking a franchise to give him the right to build a railroad which shall 'furnish facilities to manufacturers to establish plants,' etc., which he says the Terminal Association refuses to furnish. * * * And it may be remarked in passing that his 'franchise,' as he has asked for it, appears by the papers to involve the destruction of the new Washington University.

Now, Mr. Editor, the truth is, that observing in the Republic that a belt railway franchise had been granted by the County Court for a railway to be built within 1000 feet of the city limits, from Jefferson Barracks north, I at once started out to organize a movement to protest against the grant, to move a reconsideration by the County Court, and to defeat it, if possible; urging as one of the reasons that the line would ruin the university property. I went so far as to rout Mr. Charles Nagel, the attorney for the university, out of his bed at 11 o'clock at night, that I might have his assistance at Clayton in making the fight against the grant. The next morning the fight was made by us with at least partial success, as was published in the papers at the time.

This misrepresentation of fact is on a par with many others that have been made directly or indirectly by this company in their numerous attempts to pass this bill.

W. S. FLEMING.

DROWNED NUMBER NINE.

Four of the Crew of the Lake Steamer Margaret Olwell Saved.

CLEVELAND, O., June 30.—The following have been rescued from the wreck of the steam barge Margaret Olwill:

John Smith, first mate, of Cleveland.

Alexander McRea, chief engineer, of Cleveland.

Luke Schinski, second engineer, of Cleveland.

Duncan Coyle, seaman, of Cleveland.

Smith, McRea and Schinski were rescued by the steamer Sacramento. Coyle was picked up by the passenger steamer State of Ohio. The Orwill's cargo of stone shifted while the vessel was laboring in the trough of the sea, bearing down the vessel. The persons lost were Capt. John Brown, the barge's master, of Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Brown, the captain's wife; Blanchard Brown, the captain's son, about 10 years old; Mrs. Cora Hitchcock of Cleveland, a passenger; Fireman W. Doyle, Cleveland; Wheelman George Heffron; Watchman Frank Hepp of Kelly's Island, and ——— James, Cleveland.

INSPECTING THE ILLINOIS.

Drainage Canal Trustees' Plan for Removal of the Dams.

CHICAGO, June 30.—The Board of Trustees of the Drainage Canal will leave La Salle, Ill., July [illegible] for a six days' trip of in- [illegible] Illinois River abo- [illegible] dams.

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THE GLOBE'S MID-SUMMER CLEA

THE BIG STORE Globe 7th & FRANKLIN AV.

We Expected a Crowd, But Not Such a Jam as Packed Our

Why shouldn't this sale be a success? People are surprised at the wonderfu throng and be convinced that we sell as we advertise. The great sale is co

SHOES

At prices th y were never sold before.

Child's Patent Tip Dongola Button Shoes, sizes 3 to 6, 50c values	25c
Children's Patent Tip Vici Kid, button, spring heels, sizes 6 to 8, 65c values	38c
Children's Vici Kid Tan Lace Shoes, spring heels, sizes 6 to 8, cut from 75c to	50c
Child's Tan and Oxblood Oxfords, sizes 8 to 11, go at	49c
Misses' Chocolate Strap Sandals, hand turned, sizes 11 to 2, $1.25 kind	75c
Youths' Satin Calf Lace Shoes, sizes 11 to 2, $1.00 qualities	75c
Boys' Satin Calf Lace Shoes, sizes 3 to 5½, $1.25 ones cut to	89c
Ladies' Dongola Oxfords, patent tip, sizes 4 to 8, cleared at	39c
Ladies' Tan Calf Lace Shoes, hand welts, all sizes and widths, regular $3.00 goods, during this sale	99c
Ladies' Vici Kid Lace Shoes, patent and stock tips, all sizes, regular $2 shoes, for this sale	$1.19
Ladies' Tan Vici Kid Cloth Top Button Shoes, hand turned, $3.50 values, clear them out	$1.23
Men's Alligator Slippers, all sizes, regular 75c goods, for this sale	39c

MEN'S SUITS.

All our Men's $5.00 Suits	$2.69
All our Men's $7.50 Suits	$4.85
All our Men's $10.00 Suits	$6.65
All our Men's $12.00 Suits	$7.75
All our Men's $15.00 Suits	$9.65
All our Men's Finest $20.00 and $25.00 Baltimore Tailor-made Suits	$13.65
All our Young Men's $6.50 Suits	$3.89
All our Young Men's $8.50 Suits	$4.85

Coolest Store in the City—Electric Fans Throughout.

$10.00 SUITS SPECIAL. $10.00 SU

$4.69 500 Men's and Young Men's Fine All-Wool Blue Serge Suits, guaranteed fast colors—same as you always pay $10.00 for—at ……… **$4.69**

Men's Summer Clothing.

All our Men's $3 Crash Suits	$1.49
All our Men's $2.50 Black Summer Coats and Vests	$1.49
Men's strictly all-wool Blue and Black Serge Coats and Vests	$3.39
Men's 50c Office Coats	19c
Men's Black Alpaca Coats	69c

MEN'S HATS.

Prices to put competition to sleep.

Men's Straw Hats, variety of styles, 50c ones at	25c
Men's Straw Hats, mackinaws, milans and jumbo braids, proper styles, $1.50 values	85c
Best qualities Men's Straw Hats, English, Milan, Dunstable, Mackinaw and Porcupine Braids, handsomely trimmed in the latest fashions, goods regularly sold at $2.50	$1.25

MEN'S AND BOYS' PANTS.

All our Boys' 35c Cheviot Knee Pants, up to 14 years	15c
All our 75c Knee Pants, 3 to 16 years, all-wool	42c
Children's Wash Pants, in stripes, plaids and linens	5c
Men's White Duck Pants	59c
Men's Crash Pants	49c
All our Men's $1.50 Wool Pants	69c
All our Men's $2.00 Strictly All-Wool Pants	$1.39

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CONFLICT OF IDEAS.

CROSS CURRENTS IN THE SOCIAL-POLITICAL CONFERENCE.

DEWEY'S NAME NOT CHEERED.

Some Applaud the War, While Others Call It Murder and Liberty's Funeral.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 30.—William J. Ghent, a New York printer, reproached the Social and Political Conference with lack of patriotism when the convention listened in silence and disapproval to an eloquent tribute to Admiral Dewey. The incident followed an address by the Rev. H. W. Thomas of Chicago, whose theme was "Militarism." Mr. Thomas said:

"I favored the last war. Right of wrong, I was the first minister in the Northwest to raise my voice in behalf of the suffering Cubans. I am glad that we wiped from this hemisphere the nation that was guilty of the crimes of Spain. That was a great victory of the magnificent Dewey in sinking the Spanish fleet without the loss of a man or ship."

The war in the Philippines he declared the saddest thing in the history of the United States. As militarism tends to despotism, he opposed it.

Then Mr. Ghent took the floor. He said: "When it is possible for a man to mention the magnificent victory of Dewey and the great victory at Santiago without a sign of applause, it illustrates the impotence of the body before which the words are spoken."

Mr. Ghent's remarks were received with derisive laughter. He went on:

"The Republican party won the last election by a popular majority of 600,000. If the next campaign is fought with the war as an issue and McKinley conducts the war as he has done since it began, he will be elected by a popular majority of more than a million."

George D. Herron, professor of Applied Christianity in the Iowa University, said: "We are living to-day under a military dictatorship of the most contemptible kind. This war is an illegal war and we are being governed without a constitution in America to-day.

"We are in that same period from which the Roman Republic passed to the reign of the Cesars, who were simply chiefs of police for the property classes. Our policy in the Philippines is that of national suicide."

Frank J. Stevens of Philadelphia said: "The trouble in the Philippines is not war; it is murder, murder of the people, murder of liberty. If this be treason make the most of it."

He was loudly cheered.

Bolton Hall of New York offered a resolution declaring it to be the sense of the conference that the Government at once end the war and withdraw our troops from the Philippines. The presiding officer ruled that such resolutions must first be considered by the committee on resolutions.

The conference then switched to the discussion of a permanent tribunal and other subjects. Reaching organized labor, Prof. Ely of Cambridge declared it was the greatest organization of self-help. He thought the people should patronize union printing shops and smoke union cigars.

J. R. Sovereign of the Knights of Labor told about the Chicago railroad strike.

Mayor Jones of Toledo said that labor troubles were not due to individual influences. He added: "If we could see that when Rockefeller and Hanna were dead trouble and distress would depart, there might be hope, but the mammon-worshiping greed of the country will produce new plutocrats as soon as death removes the old ones."

How to Reach Two Famous Resorts.

An Outing Hint from Outing.

Fast, safe, superbly equipped and most carefully governed, one need not wonder at the great popularity of the New York Central. No other line affords such facilities for through travel between the East and the West as this wonderful four-track system. In the possession of Grand Central Station, located in the heart of New York City, and within trifling distance of all first-class hotels, this railway offers greater advantages than competing lines. Spring, summer, autumn and winter, it has attractions irresistible. The great Northern wilderness, the playground of the State, now beckons its thousands. As autumn falls, America's scenic masterpiece, far-famed Niagara, will claim its annual host of pilgrims with its majestic power, the fierce turmoil of the Whirlpool and all the picturesque surroundings, the awesome Cave of the Winds and the several other minor attractions of the vicinity. And [illegible]

KISSING BUG A TERROR.

HIS NAME MELANOLESTES PICIPES AND HIS BITE AWFUL.

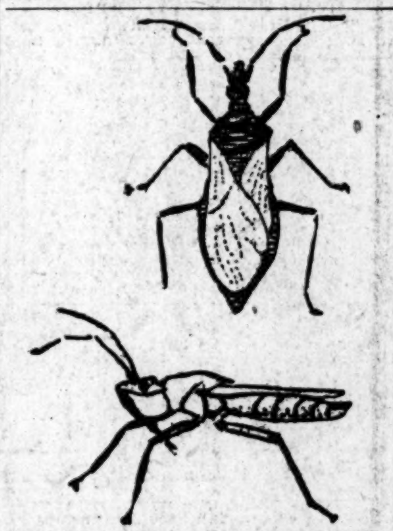
VICTIMS SUFFERS INTENSE PAIN

The Pest at Present Has Headquarters in Washington and Is Keeping Doctors Busy.

WASHINGTON, June 30.—For two weeks Washington has been infested with a bug which preys upon the countenances of sleeping citizens and leaves them unrecognizable and suffering with intense pain. So far the bug has confined its attention to the male portion of the city's population.

There have been 300 victims of the bug treated at the various city hospitals and dispensaries. How many more have suffered cannot be told.

The identity of the bug has been discovered by an assistant in the Entomological Division of the Agricultural Department, who was bitten. It is known as the melanolestes picipes. It belongs to a group that feeds on other insects in preference to plants. Its liking for human blood is a habit of recent acquisition. In the West it is often found in poultry houses, and when in large numbers frequently attacks horses.



THE MELANOLESTES PICIPES, KISSING BUG.

(From sketches furnished by the Entomological Division of the Department of Agriculture.)

According to the entomologists the favorite food of the picipes is a bedbug, and it is particularly fond of specimens freshly charged with human blood. The picipes when full grown is about one inch in length, and is characterized by a flattened body and very narrow pointed head. It has a short, strong beak with a point as sharp as that of a mosquito. It is jet black in color and is a night flyer.

The piercing of the victim's skin is accompanied by no perceptible sensation, but the swelling sets in almost immediately. With the swelling comes an intense burning pain, lasting often from two to four days. The part punctured swells to ten times its normal size in almost every case. Hospital physicians use a solution of collodion in treating the bug bite cases. This reduces the swelling in from forty-eight to seventy-two hours.

NIPPON MARU AT DOCK.

Crew and Passenger of the Plague Ship, However, Are Detained.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 30.—The steamer Nippon Maru, suspected of being infected with the bubonic plague, has been released from quarantine, after being thoroughly fumigated by Dr. Kinyoun, the Federal quarantine officer, at Angels Island. Her passengers and crew were held on the island, but the steamer is now lying off the Pacific Mail dock, where it is the intention to unload her cargo.

VERY LOW EXCURSION RATES

To Colorado, Utah and Cali- [illegible]

Via Burlington Route [illegible]

PEANUTS WILL GO UP

TRUST FORMED TO CONTROL THE TRADE OF THE WORLD.

PRICES ARE ADVANCING.

The Demand Is Active and the Supply Scant With No Prospect of Increase.

NEW YORK, June 30.—The American Edible Nut Company, to control the peanut trade, is about to be incorporated in New Jersey. The capital stock, it is stated, will be $5,000,000. The charter of the combination will permit it to handle nuts other than peanuts and the product of nuts grown in this and other countries. The company will control, it is claimed, the entire peanut market of the world. P. D. Gwaltney, president of the Gwaltney Peanut Company of Smithfield, has been offered the presidency of the combination, but has not yet, it is understood, decided to accept it. The company will be financed in New York, where five directors will have their headquarters. The mechanical department will remain in Virginia and will be managed by four directors, who will be men who have heretofore successfully managed the plants which are now to be taken over by the company.

Peanuts have been advancing for some months from natural causes, there being an active demand and scant supply. When the company begins operations the nuts, it is believed, are likely to advance still further.

THE ASPHALT TRUST.

Its Charter Permits It to Make All Paving Materials.

PHILADELPHIA, June 30.—The articles of the Asphalt Company of America, which has just been incorporated in New Jersey, with a capital of $30,000,000, and which will probably be known as the "asphalt trust," authorize the company to manufacture, produce, purchase or otherwise acquire and use asphalt, stone, wood, bricks, blocks, tiles, natural and artificial pavements and paving materials and supplies of all kinds and all conditions, goods, wares, merchandise, articles and things which can be used as a part thereof or in connection therewith, or as a substitute therefor, and to sell, exchange, pledge, deal in or otherwise dispose of the same in any manner whatsoever for the purpose of paving, roofing or similar purposes, or any protective, ornamental or useful purpose to which any form of asphalt or combination thereof or substitute therefor may be applied."

"The corporation," said George A. Hahn, "has been formed to control the sale of asphalt in the United States. It will have charge of the entire output of Trinidad asphalt and whatever other natural beds can be obtained. In this way we expected to control all the asphalt in the world. We shall absorb a great many smaller companies in this country. The main business of the concern will be carried on in Philadelphia.

For Summer Tourists.

The Illinois Central has resumed operation of their through sleeping car from St. Louis to Traverse City, Charlevoix, Petosky and Bay View, etc. The only line reaching Traverse City and Charlevoix without change of cars.

ROOSEVELT IS FOR M'KINLEY.

He Says That Republican Sentiment in the West Is All One Way.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 30.—In an interview given here, Gov. Roosevelt says:

"Everybody in the West is for McKinley's renomination. I feel that the extreme rapidity with which the country has gone up the path of prosperity under President McKinley's administration and the conduct of the war in the Philippines makes it the duty of every man to stand with it and renders President McKinley's renomination a necessity. We must [illegible] out this insurrection there by forc [illegible] arms and then we can consider term [illegible] peace."

"The Myst [illegible] d,"—July 3.

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TEXAS MINISTER IS CHOSEN.

Dr. Mullins President of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

ATLANTA, Ga., June 30.—Dr. E. Y. Mullins of the First Baptist Church of New Center, Mass., has been elected president of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, to succeed Dr. Whitsitt, resigned. Dr. Mullins is 42 years of age. He was born in Texas, and was employed as a telegraph operator till 1885, when he entered the ministry, being called to the Baptist Church at Harrodsburg. From there he was called to Baltimore, later to Richmond, Va., as associate secretary of the foreign mission board, and then to New Center. He was supported by the so-called Whitsitt faction of the trustees, the anti-Whitsitt men supporting Prof. F. H. Kerfoot of the seminary, who finally withdrew.

THINKS ST. LOUIS OUT OF IT.

Sam B. Cook Favors Kansas City as a Candidate for the Convention.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 30.—Sam B. Cook, Chairman of the State Democratic Central Committee, has come out in a letter tendering his assistance to Kansas City in the race for the National Democratic Convention. In the letter Mr. Cook says: "The recent talk I have had with St. Louis Democrats leads me to believe that that city is, in good faith, out of the contest, the World's Fair being all they care to ask for at this time."

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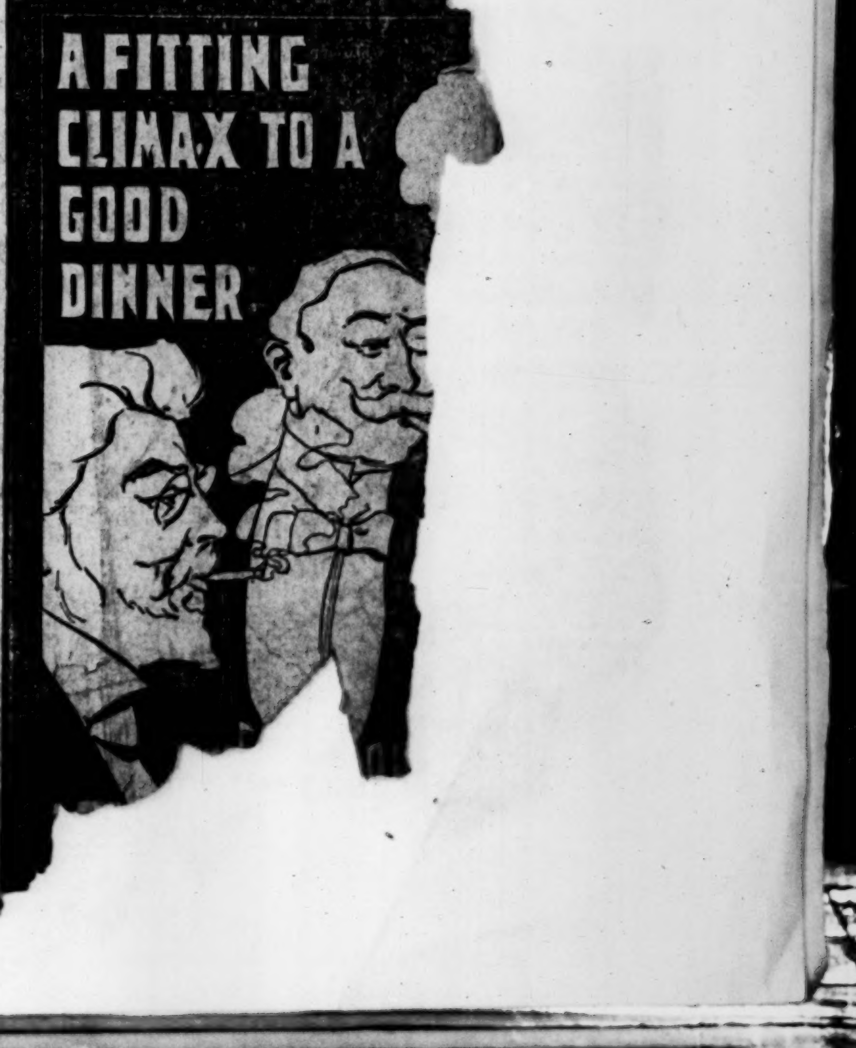
Going June 27, 28, 29, 30 and July 1; returning up to and including July 5. Only line with three daily trains. Tickets, Broadway and Locust and Union Station.

CANNOT GET OUT ON BAIL.

Nine Men Accused of Murder of the Humphreys Must Stay in Jail.

ATHENS, TEX., June 30.—The examining trial of the nine men accused of having lynched the three Humphries in the Transcedar country was closed yesterday and all the defendants were remanded to jail without bail to await action of the Grand Jury. They are Polk Weeks, Arthur Greenhaw, Walter Wilkerson, Bob Stephens, Joe Wilkerson, John Gaddis, Sam Hall, Bill Brooks and John Greenhaw.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was averse to returning sign Hopkins said that ed under the care of the es in Illinois, where the and the police authorities ck to the Salvationists. 16 years old. She is rather um in size and is neat in ough her calico dress is old was clean and showed that good care of it. Her brown brushed and her face and clean. She has big blue eyes ere is no guile. Her manner is l she impresses one with the he is truthful.

ve been in the Salvation Army a week," she told a reporter, annot stay there any longer. They l enough to us down there, but nothing to live for. I am old and strong enough to earn a living self and I do not care to be a charity . The home is a prison. We are in and cannot go out unless one of pers is with us. We have nothing spect. I want to go some place where work and make a home for myself.

parents are both dead. I do not re- ber anything about either. When I a little girl Mr. Jackson, a farmer Godfrey, Ill., took me out of the hans' Home and I lived with him for ht years. A few weeks ago he turned out and said he did not want to keep any longer. Why he did this I do not ow. I never was a bad girl and I al- ays worked.

"Mrs. Demuth of Alton sent me and Rosie to St. Louis and gave us a letter to the Salvation Army Home. I want to go to Alton. I know I can get something to do there. Of course, I have no money, but I can walk."

Rosie Taylor is only 14 years old, but she is larger and looks older than the other girl. She has dark hair and eyes, and seems more worldly wise then her companion.

Her father was a glassblower at Alton until he died a year ago from consumption. Then her mother became ill and was sent to the Poorhouse, and Rosie was turned adrift. She admits that she has done wrong, but says she did the best she could.

PURE FOOD BILL APPROVED.

Board of Health Wants the Adulteration of Food Products and Liquors Stopped.

The Board of Health has approved a pure food bill prepared by Health Commissioner Starkloff. The ordinance prohibits the adulteration of all food products and liquors and provides for a fine of from $20 to $200 for violations.

The Health Commissioner shall inforce the law with the aid of the sanitary and meat inspectors and the City Chemist, who shall make analysis.

Ordinances declaring tuberculosis an infectious disease and providing for precautions against its spread, and an ordinance allowing the health officers to fumigate against vermin and insects were also approved. All will be submitted to the Municipal Assembly at once.

"The Mysterious Wand."—July 3.

FOUND DEAD IN HIS ROOM.

Heart Disease Carried Off Henry Willard While He Was Alone.

Henry Willand, until recently assistant engineer at the Suburban power-house, was found dead in a room in the rear of 3315 Franklin avenue, where he lived alone.

An autopsy showed death to have been due to heart disease. He had been drinking heavily. He was 46 years old and unmarried.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething relieves the child from pain. 25c.

BIRTHS RECORDED.

B. and F. Meyerson, 719 Carr; boy.
C. and L. Werner, 2325 Gravois; girl.
Wm. E. and L. Wood, 1113 N. St. Louis; boy.
A. and A. Brockhousen, 1119 Gano; girl.
W. and M. Vogt, 1935 Hebert; boy.
L. and C. Seller, 2116 Penrose; boy.
J. and N. Daley, 406 N. Eleventh; girl.
A. and C. Russel, 1715 Park; girl.
C. and M. Osgood, 27 Fox Place; girl.
L. and K. Benjamin, 712 Marion; girl.
J. P. and S. Ellis, 3532 N. Eleventh; boy.
G. A. and C. E. McIntyre, 2815 N. Ninth; girl.
T. and S. Kasper, 3318 Nebraska; boy.
G. and L. Smith, 3410 Indiana; girl.
G. and P. Bigalke, 2819 Missouri; boy.
B. J. and Matilda Bargeld, 3241½ N. Nineteenth; boy.
F. and A. Rothenhauser, 2512A University; boy.
J. and M. Burges, 1722 S. Seventh; boy.
W. J. and E. Regan, 716 N. Vandeventer; boy.
C. J. and A. M. Redding, 2027 Morgan; girl.
W. and I. White, 1922 Biddle; boy.
P. and M. Love, 4447 Easton; girl.
G. F. and J. Dubuque, no address; girl.
E. A. and S. Cloonan, 1524 John; girl.
A. S. and J. D. Wolf, 3037 Washington; boy.
O. and A. Rieger, 4126 Clay; girl.

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Every Boy Can Have a Suit—and a Good One—at a Small Cost.

OUR CLOTHING SALE has met with unbounded success, and hundreds of Boys and Young Men have been clothed here with high-grade Suits at the cost of inferior ones! As we said before, we have determined to open the new season with new goods, and with that end in view every garment will be sold. DO NOT MISS OUR GREAT SPECIALS FOR TO-MORROW.

75c MOTHER'S FRIEND SHIRT WAISTS (best grade), to-morrow only	49c
50c BOYS' STRAW HATS, special for to-morrow only	25c
75c BOYS' STRAW SAILOR HATS, a large assortment, only	49c
75c BOYS' ALL-WOOL KNEE PANTS, made with double seats and knees,	49c
$1.50 BOYS' FINE STRAW SAILOR HATS, for to-morrow, cut to only	79c
75c BOYS' WASHABLE SAILOR SUITS (sizes 3 to 10), nicely trimmed, only	49c
$1.50 BOYS' WASHABLE SAILOR SUITS (sizes 3 to 10), handsomely embellished in fine braid. to-morrow only	98c
YOUNG MEN'S TROUSERS, finely made of pure wool, in a large variety of patterns, regular $2.50 values, slashed to only	$1.50
BOYS' ALL-WOOL KNEE SUITS, sizes 9 to 15, finely made in a rich assortment of handsome patterns that have been selling at $3.00 and $3.50. These have been slaughtered for to-morrow's sale and marked to only	$1.69
YOUNG MEN'S FINE ALL-WOOL SUITS, sizes 14 to 20, made in the very latest styles of fine imported Scotch cheviots, cassimeres, worsteds and serges, in blue, black, brown, gray and fancy mixtures, all stitched with silk throughout, finely tailored and trimmed and guaranteed to be regular $7.50 and $8.50 Suits. All slashed for to-morrow's sale to only	$5.45
MEN'S DOUBLE-BREASTED SERGE COATS, regular $5.00 values. Our great special for to-morrow only	$3.45

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Ladies' Shoes, Oxford Ties and Slippers.
97c
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HALF PRICE.

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$20 Suits, $10.00		$6 Pants, $3.00
$25 Suits, $12.50		$7 Pants, $3.50
$30 Suits, $15.00		$8 Pants, $4.00
$35 Suits, $17.50		$10 Pants, $5.00
$40 Suits, $20.00		$12 Pants, $6.00

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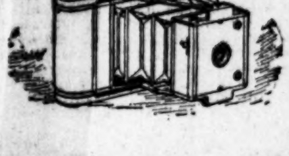

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A TANGLE OF TRACKS.

STREET RAILWAY SYNDICATE'S PLAN IS A NETWORK.

BLOCKADE ONE THOROUGHFARE

Twenty-First Street May Be Impassible for Vehicles When All the Tracks Are Down.

Twenty-first street from Chouteau avenue to O'Fallon street will be almost impassable for vehicles when the street railway syndicate gets through laying tracks allowed by the Central Traction franchise ordinance. Commencing at Chouteau avenue, at every intersection with an east and west street, north to O'Fallon street there is a switch, single or double, or a crossing. The worst is at Twenty-first street and Washington.

At Chouteau and Twenty-first street the new tracks leave the tracks of the Chouteau avenue division of the Lindell Railway, curving from the west around the northwest corner, as shown in the drawing.

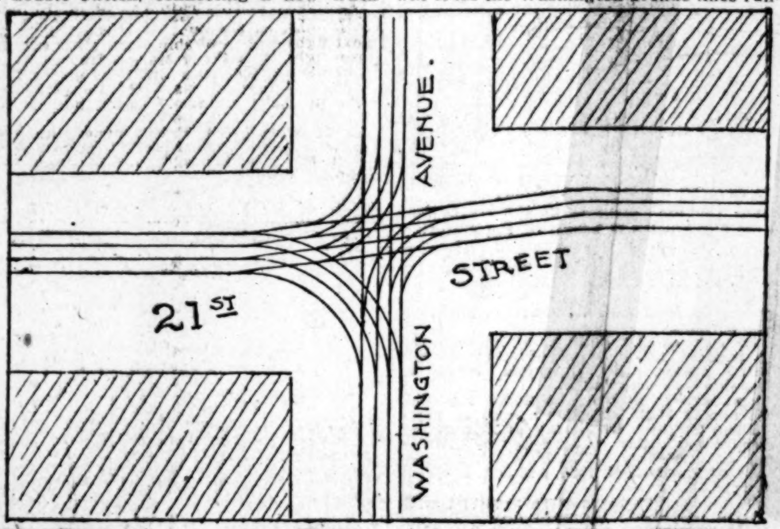
At Twenty-first street and Clark avenue the new track crosses the single east-bound track of the Manchester division of the Missouri line.

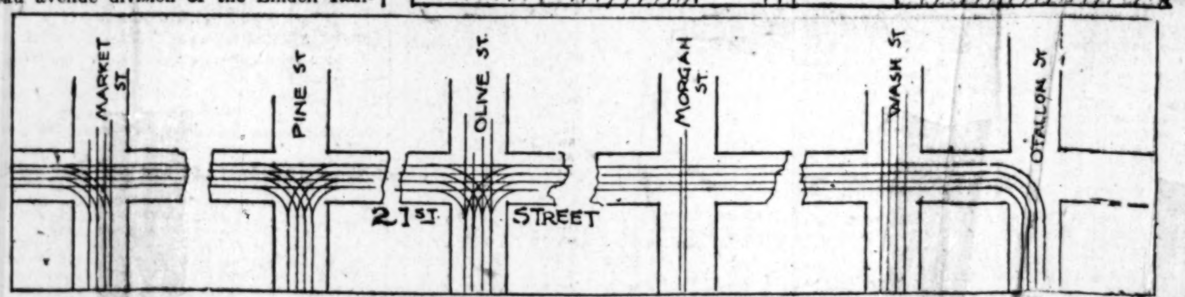
At Twenty-first and Market streets there is a complicated switch and crossing. The Twenty-first street tracks cross the Laclede avenue division of the Missouri lines and also connect from the south, curving from that direction around the southeast corner.

At Twenty-first and Pine, where there are now no street car tracks, there will be a double switch, connecting a new track on Pine street east of Twenty-first street with the tracks on Twenty-first street. This double switch involves curves around the southeast and northeast corners of Twenty-first and Pine.

At Twenty-first and Olive there will be another double switch and a crossing. The Twenty-first street tracks run north and south and the Olive street tracks run east and west. The two will be connected by double switches, curving abbout the southeast and northeast corners. At Twenty-first and Washington avenue there will be a perfect network of tracks. The Twenty-first street tracks, running north and south, will cross the Washington avenue lines running east and west. Switches curving around the southwest, the southeast and the northeast corners complete the tangle.

At the intersection of Twenty-first street with Morgan street, Franklin avenue, Wash, Carr and Biddle streets, there will be ordinary crossings. At Twenty-first and O'Fallon streets there will be a turn to the east.





A COMMON LAW WIFE.

HER HUSBAND DIRECTED TO PAY ALIMONY TO HER.

A remarkable condition of affairs in the lives of Mr. and Mrs. David Shelby of 219 South Broadway was brought to light in Judge Zachritz's court Friday on the hearing of Mrs. Shelby's application for alimony, pending her suit for divorce from Shelby on the ground of indignities.

Shelby claimed that he should not be compelled to pay Mrs. Shelby alimony because he had never really been married to her, although she had borne his name for 13 years.

Mrs. Shelby admitted that no license to marry was ever procured, but she declared that she and Shelby entered into an agreement June 15, 188 in the presence of their servants, to become husband and wife, and thereafter lived as such. She said no priest or [illegible] present at this novel wedd[illegible]

Shelby filed su[illegible] from Mrs. Shelby several y[illegible] that he had never legall[illegible] although he had lived with[illegible] band for [illegible] how-

NO MORE GRAY HAIR

De Lacy's French Hair Tonic Positively Restores Gray Hair to Its Natural Color in from 1 to 3 Weeks.

De Lacy's French Hair Tonic is to-day being used and highly recommended by over 10,000 men and women in St. Louis. It has been proven by chemical analysis that it is perfectly harmless, containing no poisonous minerals or anything that would in any way injure the most delicate scalp. There is not a case on record where De Lacy's French Hair Tonic has failed to restore gray hair to its natural and original color in from one to three weeks, having no effect on changing the color of any of the hair except that which is streaked or gray. It will stop the very worst cases of hair falling out in from 24 to 48 hours. As a dandruff eradicator and as a general tonic and dressing for the hair De Lacy's French Hair Tonic stands without a peer. $1.00 by druggists everywhere.

De Lacy's French Shampoo or Scalp C[illegible] the most elegant shampoo on [illegible] the hair soft, silky [illegible] ac-

ANNIE FEKREZ TEASED FIDO.

Finally He Bit [illegible], but He Will Not Be Killed.

Annie Fekrez is [illegible] years old and lives with her mother at [illegible] Chouteau avenue. Nick Schneers lives at 2634 on the same street. Mr. Schneers owns a little dog and it delighted Annie to tease him. Thursday afternoon Annie teased the dog and spit repeatedly in its face. Fido's growling remonstrances were allowed to pass unheeded. Finally Fido became angry and he bit Annie on the left cheek.

Mr. Schneers says he won't kill Fido and Annie says she won't play over at Schneers' any more.

DEADLY MALARIA IS NOW RAMPANT.

MOORE'S PILULES

Are the Only Sure Cure for Malaria.

They are the only substitute for Quinine. The Medical Fraternity admits that Quinine is Dangerous and Deadly Because it Causes Severe Headaches, Stupor, Complete Deafness, Blindness, Brain Congestion, Staggering, Womb Troubles, Convulsions, Violent Delirium, Vomiting, Diarrhoea and Gastritis. MOORE'S PILULES, being entirely vegetable, Cure Malaria and all its attendant ills Without Poisoning or Harming the Patient. THEY ARE NOT A CATHAR[illegible] They Purify the Blood [illegible] the sy

FOUND DEAD IN LODGINGS.

Ex-State Senator of Kansas Passes Away While Alone.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., June 30.—About 10:45 last night May Miller, proprietress of a rooming house, notified the police that Judge J. V. Beekman, ex-Member of the Legislature, was dead at her house. At 4 o'clock Beekman came to her house and asked for a room and requested her to call him at 10 o'clock. When she went to call Beekman she found him dead.

Beekman came here about 10 years ago from Lincoln, Ill., and is well known in Logan and Tazewell counties, Illinois. He was a very successful lawyer.

Run Down on a Bridge.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAIRO, Ill., June 30.—The passenger train on the Big Four, which left here at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, struck a man on Chache Bridge, a few miles north of here, killing him instantly. The man had papers on his person, indicating that he was William Starrs of Savannah, Ga.

12 Hours Saved to California
Via the Missouri Pacific Railway and Rock Island Route in connection with the Scenic Line. Train leaves St. Louis via the Missouri Pacific 9 a. m. daily Elegant equipment.

Mrs. William Keiler.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PADUCAH, Ky., June 30.—Mrs. William Keiler, mother of Mr. John W. Keiler and Mrs. Joseph L. Freidman, died this morning of acute meningitis at the home of her son here. She was about 70 years old and formerly resided in Chicago.

Eat, drink and be merry,
For to-morrow we die.

Last week the good people were all quarreling about the high price on tomatoes, which have dropped this week to one-fourth their former value. But as there must be something for the housewives to cavil at, censure has fallen upon young sweet-corn, which, in its expensive confusion, has shriveled under its little green cape and covered its ears in embarrassment. Our present supply is coming in from Illinois and Southern Missouri.

Watermelons are coming from Georgia in large quantities and are very fine. They sell at from 10 to 30 cents apiece. The Rocky Ford, Texas and Arkansas cantaloupes control the market this week.

Spring ducks have come into Union Market with a bounce and chicken in its various croquettish moods will visit us during the entire summer. But we all know that the chickens enjoy their "green and salad days" earlier in the season.

Other Game and Poultry: Squabs, $2.40 per dozen or 20c apiece; spring geese, 15c a pound; hens, 10c a pound. Spring chickens have fallen to 20c apiece. Spring ducks still sell at 33 1-3c each.

Meats—Pork, 7½c to 10c a pound; all kinds of sausage meat, 7½c; roast beef, 10c to 12½c; mutton, 10c; sirloin steak, 10c to 12½c; porterhouse, 12½c to 16c; round, 12½c; bacon, 10c; calves' heads, 25c apiece; brains, 25c a set; tongue, 10c a pound; soup meat, 5c a pound; lamb, 50c to $1 a quarter; mutton, 10c to 12½c a pound; ham, 10c to 11c a pound.

Fish—Sunfish, 10c a pound; yellow bass, 10c; black bass, 15c; striped bass, 12½c; croppie, 12½c; small jack salmon, 10c; large jack salmon, 15c; small white, 10c; medium white, 12½c; jumbo white, 15c; lake trout, 12½c; silver trout, 12½c; pike, 10c; eels, 15c; smelts, 12½c; haddock, 12½c; buffalo, dressed, 10c; headless shrimps, $1.25 a gallon; turtle meat, 10c a pound; buffalo, sided, 12½c; headless cod, 12½c; flounders, 12½c; bluefish, 15c; red snapper, 12½c; Spanish mackerel, 15c; fresh mackerel, 40c each; pompano, 20c a pound; Eastern halibut, 20c; Western halibut, 15c; California salmon, 20c; Chinook salmon, 20c; Kennebec salmon, 15c; brook trout, 50c a pound; hard-shell crabs, 75c per dozen; broiled lobsters, 30c a pound; live lobster, 25c a pound; soft-shell crabs, $1.25 per dozen; sea trout, 12½c a pound.

Dairy Products—The best Elgin butter brings 25c a pound; country butter, 15c, 17½c and 20c; [illegible] 12½c a pound; [illegible] eggs [illegible] 75c a pound; cauliflower, 10c and 20c, according to size; asparagus, 5c to 25c a bunch; eggplant, 10c to 15c apiece; cucumbers, [illegible] for 10c; green peppers, 3 for 10c; red peppers, 15c a quart; sweet potatoes, 25c a peck; Bermuda onions, 10c a quart; dried butter beans, 10c a quart; kohlrabi, [illegible] a bunch; spinach, 10c a peck; parsley, [illegible] a dozen; rhubarb, 15c a dozen; carrots [illegible], 50c a peck; watercress, 5c a bunch; [illegible] 5c a bunch; garlic, 3 bunches for 25c; [illegible], 2 bunches for 5c; artichokes, 15c a [illegible] soup bunches, 5c apiece; grated horseradish, 5c and 10c a bottle; thyme, 3 bunches for 10c; sage, 3 bunches for 10c; sweet marjoram, 3 bunches for 10c; cabbage, [illegible] head; old Irish potatoes, 50c a bushel; lettuce, 2 heads for 5c; home-grown tomatoes, [illegible] for 5c; Texas tomatoes, 4 for 5c.

Fruits—California cherries, 25c for a half-pound [illegible]; pineapples, 20c to 40c apiece; eating apples, 20c to 50c a dozen; cooking apples, [illegible] to 75c a peck; California oranges (seedless), 25c to 75c a dozen. The largest orange seen in Union Market measured 16¼ inches in circumference. Lemons sell from 10c [illegible] per dozen; bananas, 5c to 25c per dozen; cocoanuts, 5c to 10c apiece; home-grown strawberries, 5c to 10c a quart; ground cocoanuts, 10c a pint; gooseberries, 10c a quart; plums, 25c a half-pound box; blackberries, 15c a box; huckleberries, 15c a box; black raspberries, 15c a box; apricots, [illegible] 15c, and 20c a dozen; California [illegible] 5c to 25c a dozen; California [illegible] 15c to 25c a dozen; California [illegible] to 25c a dozen.

[illegible]—Most of the plants have been [illegible] but geraniums, rose bushes, cacti [illegible] can be planted at any time. These can always be obtained from the flower stands at Union Market at reasonable prices.

Exclusive Fancy Shirtings.

C[illegible] men who demand not only com[illegible] bu[illegible] exclusiveness of pattern in shirts, fin[illegible] what pleases their fancy in our an[illegible] exquisite stock of madras, li[illegible] French corded linens and [illegible] br[illegible] Price, with cuffs attached, [illegible] each. Free samples and sel[illegible] [illegible] sent to out-of-town [illegible]

SPORTS OF THE DAY

MOUND CITY STAKE.

IT WILL BE THE FEATURE AT FAIR GROUNDS SATURDAY.

SIR GATIAN AND CROCKET.

Those Two Will Start as Well as Found, Forget Not, Dr. Sheppard, Meadowthorpe and Others.

There is a man at the Fair Grounds who has paid his rent and living expenses off his winnings on Lady Callahan.

He never bets on any other horse, but when the Lady starts he is there with his money.

He always gets as good as 4 or 6 to 1, and, besides playing the Lady to win, he backs her for the place.

This man was at the track Thursday and he put $100 on the mare to win and $100 for the place.

He won $500 on the proposition, and, then putting it in his pocket, said it would stay there until the Lady was carded to start again.

Lady Callahan is certainly a consistent performer. She and her little jockey, Dominick, are always first past the post or knocking at the door. They were first Thursday in a first-class field, and when they won they surprised all the wise people at the track.

Hi Kollar, with T. Burns up, won the first race easily by three lengths and Sir Gatian won the second by a length and just about as he pleased. The third went to Hinooonet.

The fourth race was the Missouri Stake and Thorpe's clever handling of Southern Girl landed her an easy winner by a length.

After a long delay at the post in the last race they got away with Wilson in the lead, but at the finish Midian was in front and Wilson nowhere.

The Mound City Stake, a selling sweepstakes for 3-year-olds and upwards, at one and one-eighth miles, will be the feature of Saturday's Fair Grounds card. The association adds an amount sufficient to make the value of the stake $1000. There were 43 nominations to this event. The probable starters, however, at this writing will probably come from Absideon, Sir Gatian, Crocket, Air Blast, Forget Not, Dr. Sheppard, Judge Steadman, Sir Rolla, Lee Bruno, Found, Meadowthorpe, Shanken and Banish.

The Knights of the Saddle give their second ball of the season at the House of Public Comfort at the Fair Grounds this Friday night. Charley Ellison, who is to be the Major Domo of the occasion, has arranged a great programme, and says to-night's entertainment will be the greatest that ever happened.

Admiration and May Hempstead have been matched to race for a sweepstakes of $5000 each, with $5000 added by the [illegible] Island Jockey Club. The race is to be run on Saturday, the fillies are to carry 107 pounds each, and the distance is to be one mile. The conditions call for good weather and track. This should be one of the races of the season.

The Brighton Handicap, which will be run on the opening day of the Brighton meeting, ought to be one of the grandest races of the year. In value it will rank with the Metropolitan, Brooklyn and Suburban, and among probable starters will be May Hempstead, at the feather of 95; Briar Sweet, 122; Imp, 115; Jean Beraud, 106; Ethelbert, 110; St. Cloud 119; Martimas, 110; Warrenton, 111; Previous, 110, and Lanky Bob, 107.

FRIDAY'S ENTRIES.

List of Horses That Will Try for To-Day's Purses at the Fair Grounds.

First race, five and a half furlongs; maidens, 2-year-olds.

Dinornis	108	Lee King	111
Hachmeister	108	Arthur Behan	111
Moss Witt	111	Ben de Bar	111
Special Notice	111	Leo Noster	111
Duke of Melbourne	111		

Second race, one mile; selling.

Ladas	100	Bert Davis	103
Col. Cassidy	100	Helen Paxton	105
Woodcut	100	The Pride	113
Sir Blaze	103	Chimura	98

Third race, one mile, selling:

Belle Ward	98	Mystery	110
Farondelle	100	The Tarcoon	111
Ben Frost	100	Ace	113
Siddubia	102	Czarowitz	114
Annie Oldfield	105	Don Clarencio	114
Eight Bells	105	Truxillo	114
Tonto	104	Friendship	114
Gaston	107	Linda	112

Linda barred in the betting.

Fourth race, six and one-half furlongs, handicap:

Sly	90	Imp. King Gold	94
Calla Lilly	90	Verify	112
Imp. Mint Sauce	90	Richard J	119
Silver Set	92		

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs, 2-year-olds:

Coral	105	Ned Dennis	109
Canrobert	105	Morris Volmer	110
Gold Pick	105	Glen Lake	110
May Tavis	107	El Caney	110
Giga	107	Lady Curzon	111
Go There	108	El Derim	112
Peter Duryea	108	Schnell Laufer	112
Dennie Duffy	108		

Sixth race, three-quarters of a mile; selling.

Also Ran II	96	Barriso	107
W. B. Gates	98	Harrie Floyd	107
Chemisette	98	Leetka	100
Ned Wickes	99	Pat Morrissey	109
Mad Anthony	99	Wiggins	109
Young Dixon	103	Bell Punch	112
Sorrow	105	Miss Bramble	113
Crosby	106		

SELECTIONS.

First Race—Dinornis, Hachmeister, Arthur Behan.

Second Race—Col. Cassidy, The Pride, Helen Paxton.

Third Race—Annie Oldfield, Farondelle, Ben Frost.

Fourth Race—Richard J., Verify, Imp. Mint Sauce.

Fifth Race—Ned Dennis, Glen Lake, El Caney.

Sixth Race—Sorrow, Miss Bramble, Ned Wickes.

ST. LEO CHURCH OUTING

Arrangements Completed for Their Fourth of July Barbecue.

The members of St. Leo's Parish, under the leadership of the veteran Father Harty, who is a warm friend of field sports, are fast completing their arrangements for their barbeque, athletic and aquatic tournament, to be held at Fern Glen, Mo., on July 4.

These gentlemen have been appointed on the various committees who will be in charge on July 4:

Committee on Athletics—Thomas J. Ward, Edward Moriarity, Andrew J. Miller, George W. Cooke, John J. O'Brien, D. Daly, Maurice Shea, Joseph M. Burnes, Frank P. Higgins, James J. Barry.

Railroad Committee—Ed Albright, Charles Kelly, James Keough, chairman.

Advertising and Printing—George Eckert, Joseph Woodruff, John Meyerscough, chairman.

Press—Ed Carolan, James Antrim.

Refreshments—John F. Barry, Richard Brennan, M. Tracy, Joseph Burns, John Shannahan, G. Sanders, D. J. Sullivan, Nich Flemming, Thomas Glynn.

Committee of Arrangements—John J. Collins, M. J. Cullen, W. H. O'Brien, John Flynn, F. W. Schramm, E. Croghan, John Malpin.

There will be gold medals given for cake walks, foot racing, broad jumping, putting the shot, swimming races, diving, etc., military drills, high jumping, hop, step and jump, single and double skiff races.

Trains for the picnic grounds will leave Union Station on Tuesday morning at 9 and on Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Burley Win[illegible] San Francisco.

[illegible]LAND, O[illegible] —Nick Burley [illegible] out [illegible] pounds here [illegible] House

THE BROOKLYN CLUB.

WITH BOSTON THAT AGGREGATION HAS A CINCH ON THE LEAGUE PENNANT.

THE RACE AS GOOD AS OVER.

By General Concession It Has Narrowed Down to a Contest Between the Two Leaders.

Standing of Clubs Up to Noon, June 30

Clubs.	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Brooklyn	62	45	17	.726
Boston	60	38	22	.633
Philadelphia	59	36	23	.610
Chicago	61	37	24	.607
St. Louis	63	36	27	.571
Baltimore	59	33	26	.559
Cincinnati	58	29	29	.500
New York	62	30	32	.484
Pittsburg	59	27	32	.458
Louisville	61	22	39	.361
Washington	62	18	44	.290
Cleveland	58	11	47	.190

Thursday's Games.

St. Louis 4, Baltimore 2.
Louisville 11, Philadelphia 3.
Chicago 17, New York 9.
Pittsburg 9, Brooklyn 5.
Cleveland 7, Boston 2.

Where They Play.

Brooklyn at Pittsburg.
Boston at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Louisville.

The National League race of 1899 is as good as over in so far as the two leading positions are concerned.

By general concession the League race seems to have narrowed down already to the two leaders, Boston and Brooklyn. Selee's and Hanlon's teams have held the supremacy so long that it is hard to figure in any outsiders.

Philadelphia and Chicago are right on the heels of Boston, and are both playing fast, ambitious ball, but it would be a reckless prophet who would pick either as a pennant winner. The Phillies have some adherents, who profess to think they can bat themselves into the championship, and if their pitchers hold out the Quaker team may last to the finish. At present they are playing fast ball away from home.

As for Chicago, the team is out after whatever it can get, but it is doubtful if either the manager or any of the players have any expectation of landing the pennant. Third place is recognized as about the Orphans' limit, and for that position they have excellent chances.

St. Louis has been a great disappointment, and with its fighting spirit gone is probably not in the race for higher than fifth place.

McGraw has done wonders with his Baltimores, but it would be miraculous if he could elevate them to pennant rank. Baltimore will have to fight to keep out of the second division, as the Cincinnati Reds, having recovered from the shock of their fall from high expectations, are now playing good, steady ball and will certainly climb. New York and Pittsburg are both in improved form, but cannot look much higher than their present positions. Donovan's promotion to the managership helped the Pirates greatly.

The other three clubs are hopelessly trailing. Louisville started with inflated ideas about its own strength, owing to the spurt last fall, but has had hard luck with injured players, all of whom it needed to have in service if it was to come close to realizing expectations. It is difficult to refer slightingly to Washington while recollecting the six out of seven games it has taken from Chicago. If the Senators played the same game and had as good pitching all the time as in the Chicago series they would be in the first division. Luck cut some figure, but the Orphans were fairly outplayed in four of the games lost. But evidently such streaks are rare, and Washington must be content with a back seat. Of course, it can hardly drop below Cleveland, which, without pitchers, is not due to win oftener than once a week.

The St. Louis Club won Thursdays game from Baltimore by a score of 4 to 2. Young and O'Connor were the home team's battery and Kitson pitched and Robison caught for the Orioles. The hits were 13 for St. Louis and 7 for Baltimore and each side scored a single error.

Billy Robinson, the Captain of the Baltimores pays a high tribute to Jake Stenzel. "I don't know why Jake was released," said Robbie. "He played a grand game against us. He was in the hunt every day, and did better batting and base running against us than any member of the team."

The St. Louis Club plays the Chicagos at Chicago on July 4. There will be two games played there, one in the morning and the other in the afternoon.

Manager Mack of the Milwaukees is trying to secure Stenzel, late of the St. Louis club, for the outfield of the Brewers. Stenzel is a mighty hitter, and batsmen are what are needed in Milwaukee.

The St. Paul fans seem to enjoy the presence of Comiskey in the game. The team has been playing with more ginger, seemingly, since the "Comanche" got his war paint on.

JOHN T. BRUSH HIT HARD.

His Indianapolis Club Can Play No More Sunday Games.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 30.—The Supreme Court yesterday dealt the death blow to Sunday baseball in Indianapolis by overruling the petition for a rehearing of its decision declaring the law against Sunday baseball where an admission is charged to be constitutional.

The Supreme and Appellate Courts will adjourn to-morrow for their summer vacation until Oct. 1 and the friends of Sunday ball were anxious that no action of the Supreme Court be taken until after vacation when the Sunday games scheduled would have been played.

The court handed down no decision on the petition for rehearing, but simply indorsed it "overruled." The decision of the court will now be officially handed down to the Marion County Criminal Court with instructions to reverse its decision as rendered by Judge McCray and the law will then stand as against Sunday baseball.

The litigation to test the legality of Sunday baseball was begun in May of last year, when George Hogriever, a member of the Indianapolis baseball team, was arrested and tried in police court under the act prohibiting Sunday baseball where admission was charged. He was convicted in the police court and fined and took appeal to the Circuit Court. Judge McCray declared the law unconstitutional and overruled the police court. The State appealed to the Supreme Court and that court overruled the Circuit Court in a decision handed down on May 25. A petition for a rehearing was filed and until it was disposed of the lower court could not be officially notified of the action of the higher court. This formality can now be attended to and the law will stand against Sunday ball. Mayor Taggart said yesterday that the law had been upheld by the Supreme Court and would be enforced. Advocates of Sunday ball are disappointed, but as the law stands squarely against their views there seems to be nothing in sight but to forego the pleasures of Sunday baseball.

POST-DISPATCH BASEBALL CLUB.

Play the Garrisons Sunday at Christian Brothers' College Grounds.

The Post-Dispatch Baseball Club will play the Garrisons, a strong local team, on the Christian Brothers' College [illegible] grounds [illegible] Both t[illegible] are even[illegible]

BABY GIBSON HERE.

CINCINNATI'S CRACK CYCLIST REACHES ST. LOUIS.

HIS WORK AT ATHLETIC PARK.

Eddie Llewellyn, the Crack Chicago Amateur Rider, Turns Professional and Will Ride at This Meet

The scene at Athletic Park these days is a busy one.

Active preparations are being made for the big Fourth of July bicycle meet that will be held there under the L. A. W. rules.

Early this morning little Harry Gibson, the crack cyclist from Cincinnati was out on the track taking a spin. Harry arrived last night and says that he will make old Father Time look sick when he tackles the five-mile State record next Tuesday.

He has been training in the vicinity of Indianapolis and is as fine as a fiddle.

With Gibson came the big pace-making machines that will be used to pace the midget in his attack on the State record. He has a quad, triplet and two tandems and thinks that he can secure riders who will pedal the machines fast enough to carry him the five miles in record-breaking time.

EDWARD LLEWELLYN.
(The World's Best Amateur, Who Will Take Part in the Fourth of July Cycle Meet at Athletic Park.)

It is a novel sight to see Gibson following pace. He is so small that he can almost hide behind the big machines. He sticks to them closely and no matter how fast they go, he refuses to be shaken.

Besides the visiting riders there is also quite a large number of local cyclists at the track every day, training for the coming big meet.

Tom Aitken, the well-known trainer of athletes, says that there are a few youngsters in the local contingent that will make the cracks hustle for the money.

The prize list for the coming meet is a rich one, and judging from the way the entries are coming in the liberality of the gentlemen who are promoting the meet is appreciated by the riders.

Eddie Llewellyn, the crack Chicago amateur cyclist has decided to join the professional ranks. He will ride his first race as a professional next Tuesday at Athletic Park. As an amateur, Llewellyn was a star and there are many who think he will shine among the leading lights of the L. A. W. circuit. He has all the speed that is necessary and his staying qualities were never questioned, but he has one fault, and that is that he dislikes to train.

Cricket.

The same teams of the St. Louis Cricket Club as played against each other on the Forest Park Grounds last Saturday will take part in another contest the coming Saturday, so as to give them as much practice as possible in fielding their positions and playing together, before meeting the Chicago teams. They are going up against a hard proposition in the Chicago Clubs, who have had the advantage of playing matches during the season, and consequently are in much better practice for match games. The teams for Saturday are:

Chicago team—	Rest of club—
C. E. Long, capt.;	F. S. Roberts, capt.;
E. Duckworth,	H. Manley,
W. C. McCreery,	F. W. Clinch,
T. Mason,	J. W. Trick,
P. F. Dougal,	T. Pritchard,
W. D. Robinson,	H. H. Darby,
A. E. Winsor,	F. W. Tamm,
F. W. Ratcliff,	A. C. Phillips,
J. W. Green,	G. A. Barker,
W. J. Price,	A. W. Sacer,
Dr. A. Murray,	C. E. Addis,
W. M. Porteous,	R. Alexander,
P. Adair.	D. Simpson,
	W. Chalten,
	A. F. Kennedy,
	J. Edwards,
	C. B. Grimbley,
	E. Baker,
	F. W. Brooks.

Game will be called at 2:30 p. m.

Bald and Zimmerman.

NEW YORK, June 30.—Eddie Bald has no fear of losing his championship honors to Arthur Zimmerman when he meets him in Ambrose Park meet on Saturday. "It is possible that Zimmerman will return to his old-time form," Bald said yesterday, "but even at his fastest I do not know whether he can compete successfully against the men of the present day. Of course, I would not be anxious to bet on this idea, for I feel certain that Arthur would not return to the game unless he knew he had a chance of success. The one thing that puzzles me is the fact that he has refused to leave Asbury Park where he is training. This leads me to believe that he is riding faster than he cares to have known. Although I do not expect an easy thing when I meet him in the Zimmy handicap on Saturday, I certainly have no fear of the result. Should he beat me, however, I would not feel satisfied of his superiority until we had met in a match race."

Columbia in the Sound.

NEW YORK, June 30.—The new cup defender Columbia dropped anchor in the sound just off the New Rochelle light Clubhouse this morning. The yacht [illegible] to New York waters to [illegible]

MR. LEON IS WILLING.

THE NEW YORK BANTAM READY TO MEET THE ST. LOUISAN.

M'COY REPORTED IN ILL HEALTH

He Appeared to Be in Great Shape Until His Arrangements to Meet Fitz Were Completed.

Caspar Leon, the leading bantam-weight boxer of the world sends in the following:

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

ST. LOUIS, June 29.—I notice in to-day's issue of the Post-Dispatch that some one has suggested making a match between myself and Frankie Noel. If the latter is satisfied I am, but it will have to be arranged so as it will not interfere with my twenty round match with Gabriliac, which is to be decided on Friday night, July 7, before the members of the West End Culture Club of this city.

If I am the winner of this bout, why I will box Noel or any other bantam-weight boxer the Friday night following. I have "Tip" McIntyre working with me and he will certainly surprise his race-track friends when he faces Eddie Jones. They are to box six rounds the night I box Gabriliac. I am in pretty fair shape already, and I hope my opponent will be in good condition so that we will give the people their "money's" worth. CASPAR LEON.

News comes from Denver that Kid McCoy is very sick and cannot train. McCoy, a few weeks ago, issued a card telling of the wonderful health he was enjoying, but now he is no sooner matched to fight Fitz than news comes of his general breakdown and general debility. McCoy is a fussy fellow and hard to understand. B. H. Benton, representing McCoy, has gone to New York to complete arrangements for the coming fight between McCoy and Fitzsimmons. McCoy has canceled all his engagements for sparring exhibitions and is at Bailey's Station, on the South Park line in Platte Canyon, Colo., where he will spend some time fishing and mountain climbing, before going into training.

Tom O'Rourke has wired the matchmaker of the Colorado Athletic Association that he will accept Kid McCoy's challenge to meet all comers next month on behalf of Joe Walcott, but there seems little chance of a match being arranged between the pair. In answer to his acceptance, O'Rourke has received word to the effect that McCoy draws the color line. O'Rourke thought he had caught the Kid napping when he agreed to fight any three men before the Denver Club, but it appears that the Hoosier lad had protected himself by inserting a clause whereby negro boxers were barred. O'Rourke will bet $2500 that Walcott can defeat McCoy inside of twenty rounds.

Joe Kennedy of San Francisco, who recently received a decision over Gus Ruhlin, is said to be one of the coming men in his class. His performance with the Akron giant places him toward the top in the heavyweight division, Ruhlin having fought drawn battles with Jim Jeffries and Peter Maher. The Westerners believe they have another Jeffries in Ruhlin's conqueror, and are willing to back him against any fighter in the world for any amount. Jeffries will arrive in 'Frisco within a few days, when he will probably agree to give Kenedy a go. The pair were matched to fight 20 rounds last winter on the coast, but Jeffries declared the fight off when he came East to train for his fight with Fitzsimmons. Kennedy, if successful in his next fight, will probably come East and get on a fight with Peter Maher. Ruhlin wants a return match with the Westerner. Kennedy stands over six feet one inch, and fighting weight is about 195 pounds.

Kid Lavigne and Frank Erne agreed on Honest John Kelly of New York to referee their battle at Buffalo for the championship on July 3.

Of the inquest held on the body of Dutch Neal, the St. Louis boxer who died in Chicago, the Record of that city has this to say:

"Neal, the pugilist who died after engaging in a contest with Harry Peppers, colored, at the Adelphi Theater June 21, was identified just previous to the inquest conducted yesterday afternoon as Frank Neiwald. The dead prize fighter was identified by Frank Brosz of 280 North Clark street. Brosz informed Deputy Coroner Weckler, who conducted the inquest, that he had been acquainted with Neiwald for some time, and said the deceased had relatives living in Minneapolis, Minn.

"Referee George Siler, Timekeeper Frank Kennedy and Lieut. O'Brien of the Cottage Grove avenue police station were the only persons who gave evidence at the inquest. After their testimony was heard the coroner's jury, after a short deliberation, exonerated Peppers, the colored pugilist, from all blame.

"Referee Siler told the jury that at the time Neal fell he thought the man had dropped intentionally, and when he rolled off the stage he was so convinced of this that he declared all bets off. According to the testimony of Lieut. O'Brien, who was directly behind the dead pugilist at the time he fell, the fall was due to Neal's slipping in a little pool of water.

"The jury, after hearing the testimony and the statement of Coroner's Physician Noel to the effect that the pugilist's death was not caused directly from a concussion, but was due to pneumonia, complicated with a hemorrhage of the brain, returned a verdict in accordance with the physician's statement.

"After the verdict Peppers was released on bonds of $2000 pending the hearing of the charge of assault against him, which will be heard before Justice Martin Friday."

Tommy Ryan doesn't believe "Kid" McCoy wants to face him again and he wants the "Kid" to put up a forfeit to make good his bluffs.

Billy Smith will have Charley McKeever of Philadelphia for an opponent on Friday night in the Broadway Athletic Club. It transpired yesterday that McKeever only consented to meet Owen Zeigler last Monday night to save $250 forfeit which had been posted to guarantee his appearance.

Questions Answered.

T. W.—The racing rule governing the fees to be paid jockeys reads: "The fee to a jockey, in all races not exceeding $500 to the winning horse, shall be $5 for a losing mount, and $15 for a winning mount; and in all other races, in the absence of a special agreement, $10 for a losing mount and $25 for a winning mount; but none but licensed jockeys shall be entitled to demand such fees."

W. F. Voss.—As the game was not played the bet is a draw unless you both had an understanding that it should stand and be decided by the result of the game played on the following day.

Suburban.—A loses. Briar Sweet did not win 18 consecutive races last year. She won eight consecutive races. Last year Briar Sweet started in 15 races. She won 13 and was second twice.

Golf Players at Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 30.—All prominent golf candidates, with the exception of J. A. Tyng, have arrived and are registered at the Onwentsia Club house.

Findlay S. Douglas, the amateur golf champion, demolished the amateur record for the course, beating J. I. Blair, Jr., of Morris County by 3 up and 1 to play in an 18-hole match, with a medal score of 80 strokes.

The amateur record has hitherto been held by his two old champion opponents, Walter B. Smith and Charles [illegible] who have [illegible]

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Keitmen and Wei[illegible]

Mr. Herman Keitmen of th[illegible]orth End Rowing Club has accepted the [illegible]allenge of Mr. Paul Weiss of the Centra[illegible]urnverein to row a skiff race, the distanc[illegible] to be from three-fourths to ten miles an[illegible] the value of the trophy being anywhere [illegible]om $50 to $500. Mr. Herman Keitmen, w[illegible] had held the championship of the Southw[illegible]ern Amateur Rowing Association for th[illegible] past three years, considers it an easy ta[illegible] to defeat Weiss.

Fatal Prize Fight[illegible]

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 30.—There was a prize fight below [illegible]town last night between Kid Wanko of [illegible]ashington, Pa., and Felix Carr of St. Alba[illegible], W. Va. Carr was knocked out in the [illegible]th round and died at 1 a. m. Wanko was [illegible]rested at 2:30. Warrants are out for th[illegible] arrest of backers, referee, seconds and t[illegible]ekeepers. The inquest will be held to-day.

Sloan and the Waite[illegible]

LONDON, June 30.—The Star [illegible]day says the "Ted Sloan assault case" [illegible]as been finally settled by the payment [illegible] $1000 to the waiter.

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GIRL AND MATRIMONY.

d, president of Mount Holyoke Col- n are just as apt to marry as are the difference between an insect- ation of the predicate.

day Post-Dispatch, Mrs. Mead n is just as susceptible to love ge a woman's heart."

pression abroad that the col- able female, full of wise saws and mod- quotation, loaded with learning, given matrimony—and altogether too wise to tol- les lovers. It isn't true. Mrs. Mead reassures d lovers can pluck up heart.

uth is that one of the things a girl learns at col- boy—is to be natural. Not all of them take the rt, but the discipline tends to promote confidence ral powers as women. They don't all lean on the rning. Some, perhaps most of them, do their own d they can love just as hard as the most exacting wish.

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E BUFFALO CONFERENCE.

nference of radicals and reformers this week or the high character of the delegates. It is presentative men from all parts of the country owledged and respected forces.

em are Josiah Quincy of Boston, Rev. Lyman Ab- York, Rev. W. D. P. Bliss of California, Hazen Detroit, "Golden Rule" Jones of Toledo, George D. ward W. Bemis, Samuel Gompers, Miss Jane Ad- E. B. Andrews, W. D. Howells and E. D. Mead. St. orthily represented by Frederick M. Crunden and n.

tions for discussions comprise the single tax, mu- nership of public utilities, trusts, the referendum, l representation, etc.

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ost that can be required of a her is that he be of his responsibility and guard his speech. He an having authority among h llow citizens and l not be led away by impulse, pa ship or imperfect mation. But it is his duty, as of every man, to the community the benefit of his considered thought.

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It is reported on the authority of Croller Dawes that e forthcoming report of the special miner, detailed to nvestigate charges against Gov. Step as receiver of the Fifth National Bank, completely exone him. The Governor's management of the bank's affair commended as efficient and creditable. Comptroller E under whose administration the receivership was clo highly commended Mr. Stephens' management. But c s and complaints have been persistent and another in gation was forced. His receivership having been approved vindicated by two comptrollers under two administrations ifferent parties, the Governor ought to be free henceforth suspicion or aspersion on that score. Nothing but mal vould prompt a reopening of the question.

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WANTED—A SCAPEAT.

Gen. King's plain words have brou the Administration face to face with a confession of fa in the Philippines and they are looking about for somel to blame.

Naturally Gen. Otis is the first ma ought of. He is on the ground and responsible for milit operations. Just as naturally he objects to bearing the den and refers his critics to the anti-imperialists at h who have put the Tagals up to all sorts of perverse f s. He doesn't name anybody, but it is clear that he mea Edward Atkinson.

Who is responsible for the pervers position of the Tagals? Who put the notion of libe and self-government into their heads? Who persuaded th hat their lands were theirs to have and to hold for the n use and benefit? Who told them that human flesh blood could not be bought and sold like sheep and cattl

Gen. Otis is not to blame. He has e the best he could. But the men who have, in spee nd press, diligently preached the doctrines of liberty for ch our fathers died—they are the men who are to bla The Tagals heard and read what they said and like v fools thought it applied to them as well as to the Amer s.

Of these, Edward Atkinson is a g representative. Anyhow, let him be the scapegoat. It ime for philanthropy to pay a dividend of 5 per cent and so ody ought to be made to suffer for the failure of the enter . What is the country coming to if ideas about liberty allowed to interfere with business?

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If Gen. Anderson has made so frank and vigorous declarations in regard to the mana ent of our Philippine affairs those statements should be n to the public. The administration has no right to wit d them. If they are not true, Gen. Anderson ought to be missed from the army.

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It would be a big card for the Rep cans of this country if they could elect a high-tariff, pro-t candidate to succeed Bland They can put several bar' f money into the district, and they may choose to do so

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The truth about the Philippine ation is concealed for political reasons. Patriotism is co tly set aside for politics because Mr. McKinley so much sires a second term.

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Corbin's order suppressing War artment news is ominous and Spanish. It means that we ve been worsted in the Philippines and that the war has h badly managed.

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Dewey's health is improving, bu e will scarcely become sufficiently robust to meet all the spitality that will be pressed upon him on his return.

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The great increase of building p its in East St. Louis is a very satisfactory evidence of the sperity of our growing neighbor across the bridge.

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When France shall be done with e Dreyfus injustice and the United States get out of the P ppine mess, they will be two very happy nations.

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Secretary Alger's campaign cont tion for 1900 ought to be something very handsome.

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POST-DISPATCH S P SHOTS.

Boilermaker Jeffries has succeede n making a good deal of noise in the world.

The baby born in a St. Louis drug re will doubtless require a good deal of paregoric.

The jokes about the Filipino runn away would be funnier if he did not return to shoot.

If there is such a thing as future- punishment, will not the bicycle trust people be severely scorc ?

There is still a little time for ner s people to escape from the city before the small boy's bombard t begins.

Let us make hay while the sun s es and see that the display of grasses at the World's Fair sha e one to draw universal attention.

Gen. Otis will have to look out fo is umbrella during the Philippine rainy season. Some "friend Filipino will get away with it if it isn't watched.

How could Dr. Schenck's boy y scheme work against the gypsy prophecy of seven daugh s for the Czar before the arrival of a male heir?

There comes a horrible though th reading the news that a pie trust has been formed. Will little restaurant slice of pie be still further reduced?

Robert J. Breckinridge and Br nridge Hill are on the Kentucky Democratic State ticket. e Breckinridge name is still conjured with in Kentucky.

Many ambitious patriots who ex ted to be officers of the provisional troops will feel treason if those officers are chosen from heroes already in the Phil nes.

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ANSWERS TO CO RESPONDENTS.

CONSTANT READER.—April 1860, fell on Monday.

WHIST.—In case of a reneg the al is dead and the dealer loses the deal.

L. L. L.—There is no national gal holiday. There is no premium on a dime of 1823.

AN INQUISITIVE WOMAN. end us a fac-simile of the word in the characters of the languag They are unintelligible as written.

INFORMATION.—A uthorities ffer, but the practice you mention is winning acceptance. T is a brief note on the subject in Webster.

F. J. SCOTT.—There is no pr ium on any of the coins you describe. A half dollar of 1836, mill edge, like those now coined, is worth $1.50. But yours does no eem to be of that sort.

SUBSCRIBER.—Three men pl ing pitch 11 points out, A bidder and has 9 points, B 10 points A bids 2 and makes them, High Jack; B has deuce and also g out. In such case bidder goes out first.

OLD READER.—The sun is arer the earth in winter than in summer. It is warmer in th ummer because the sun is more directly overhead and because e days are so much longer that the heat accumulates.

CESAR.—It must be played o again because A's draw of two cards show that he did not h openers; whereas B's draw of three cards proves nothing. A tions are not accepted in poker; the cards must show for thems es.

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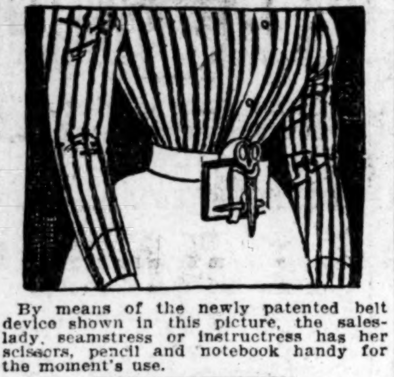


By means of the newly patented belt device shown in this picture, the saleslady, seamstress or instructress has her scissors, pencil and notebook handy for the moment's use.

SMOKE CONSUMING.

A Pennsylvania manufacturer tells how smoke is consumed in Reading. He says: "Our plan is what is known as the hydrocarbon process, and consists in employing crude petroleum, together with the air we breathe, as fuel. By our method perfect combustion can be obtained. That is the great secret of the economy of producing heat and light. We now have a large plant operated by this fuel and it is a decided success. The gauge is turned until a white-green light is produced, and at that point we know that we have the proper point of combustion. At that stage the air comes in and a tremendous heat is produced. Brass is melted in practically no time, and we have beaten the world by an hour and 22 minutes in the melting of steel. One beauty of the thing is that we can turn the fuel on and off like gas or water and there is no more smoke than there is about a Welsbach burner.

A LONG-SOUGHT REASON.

Tommy: Paw, why ain't a prophet honored in his own country?

Paw: Because people grow tired of hearing him say, "I told you so."—Puck.

TO GET RID OF FLIES.

People in the country who are annoyed by flies should remember that clusters of the fragrant clover, which grows abundantly by nearly every roadside, if hung in the room and left to dry and shed its faint fragrant perfume through the air, will drive away more flies than sticky saucers of molasses and other flytraps and flypapers can ever collect.—New York Tribune.

DIPLOMATIC.

American Heiress: And would you love me just the same if I were a poor girl?

Titled Pauper: How can you doubt? I would love you as much as you would love me if you should suddenly discover that I was not a count!—Heiter Welt.

WRITES WITH HIS MOUTH.

Aron Smith, editor of the Mount Pleasant, Tex., Times-Review, is probably the only armless editor in the United States.

He places a pen in his mouth and dashes off editorials as rapidly and as accurately as any other editor blessed with two arms. Mr. Smith does some of his writing with his toes, but the bulk of it is done with his mouth. He uses a pen because it does not require such pressure upon the paper as when a common lead pencil is used, therefore it does not tire his mouth.

He says he can sit down for hours at a time and write with but little inconvenience, and the only thing that bothers him is dressing himself, in doing which he is obliged to have some assistance.

IN HER KEEPING.

"I am told," she said, "that your heart is in the right place."

"Well, you ought to know," he replied.

BEFORE THE DUEL.

Duelist: It's an awful thought—if I fall what will become of my young and beautiful wife?

Second: Oh, don't worry on that score—I'll marry her!—Unsere Gesellschaft.

IRELAND'S LOSS.

Since 1841 the cultivated area of Ireland had dwindled from about 4,000,000 acres to 2,000,000.

HIS FRANK CONFESSION.

There had been a few words, and she declined his proffered arm.

"I do not need your support," she said, haughtily.

"But I need yours," he replied.

He could not forget, even in the excitement of a lover's quarrel, that she had considerable money in her own right.

DOUBLE PROOF.

"Do you believe in heredity, Mrs. Simpson?"

"Indeed I do; every mean trait Bobby has I can trace right back to his father?"

"Does his father believe in heredity, too?"

"Yes; he traces Bobby's faults all back to me."

THE GIRL BEHIND THE STRAW.

Awhile ago we read about the man behind
the gun;
We praised him for the part he took in
making Spaniards run,
But though his memory will live, and
though his deeds will shine
As beautiful examples for your little ones
and mine,
Another claims attention now—hurrah for
her, hurrah!
And keep the fountain fizzing for the girl
behind the straw!

OLD NAT.

Soon after the completion of the Union Pacific Railroad to Fort Haynes, business connected with a wholesale house in which I was employed, called me in that direction.

I had designed starting early in the fall for Chicago, so as to finish my business in Missouri and Kansas and return in time for Thanksgiving, but winter had almost set in before I got fairly under way.

My principal business was the collection of claims due the house. At that time many of the newer towns were without banking facilities, which fact often make it necessary for me to carry large sums of money, for which I purchased drafts as opportunity offered.

I had been out more than a month without meeting with any adventure. The month of January had arrived, bringing the first extreme cold weather I had experienced.

On the morning of the first I had arrived at the town of O——, a mile from the station, amid what proved to be the most severe snowstorm ever known in that section since settlement of the country.

It so happened that at this place I received a considerable amount of money. On entering the building to transact my business I noticed a number of persons standing around the stove, and as I finished counting the bills which had been handed to me by the proprietor I became aware of the fact that several pair of eyes were closely watching my movements.

Hastily depositing the roll of notes in my breast pocket, after a short conversation with the merchant, I turned to leave the room, but at his urgent request returned and joined him in a smoke. While sitting by the fire I embraced the opportunity to note the appearance of the crowd around me. One man particularly attracted my attention.

He was a tall, ungainly-looking person, with a heavy black beard almost covering his sallow face; his long, tangled hair stuck out from under an old coonskin cap, and almost covered his deep-set black eyes. His dress consisted, as far as I could see, of an old military overcoat, buckskin trousers, and a pair of stoga boots. I thought I detected a twinkle in his eye, as, in answer to a question from my friend, I stated my intention of leaving on the night train, if I was able to make my way through the storm to the station.

Near him, and apparently on the most intimate and friendly terms, was his very opposite, in the person of a young man, called "Hans," whose sound, honest German face beamed with good humor, and impressed me as forcibly in his favor.

Darkness set in early and the night was indeed a fearful one. Punctually at 5 o'clock I found myself at the station in time for the next train.

At the station I found shelter in an old shanty. The mailboy, which proved to be my companion of the morning, Hans, had arrived and was busily engaged upon a single stick of wood, trying to encourage a fire in the old stove.

After n hour of anxious labor and watchin we were enabled, by standing against he stove, to warm one side of our hile the other side ached with candle added a sputterin which I was able to per novel, wh

Another hour passed; the only candle was burning to an inch in length, which must be husbanded to signalize the train. Hans, overcome with cold and hunger, announced his intention of returning home. Shouldering the mailbags he bid me good night and stepped out into the darkness.

I am not naturally a timid man, and have often faced danger in various ways without flinching, but the impressions of the morning, the extreme cold, which was fast chilling my life's blood—the long and lonely vigil and the fearful surroundings had so exhausted and unmanned me that at times I felt a kind of terror creeping over me which I found it difficult to shake off.

Partly to divert my mind, but more to add to a feeling of security, I lighted the piece of candle and began searching in my valise for the revolver which I generally carried there.

Good heavens! It was gone, and I was defenseless. Perplexed, but certain of foul play, I closed the valise and searched the room for a stick, or some kind of weapon. My search proved unavailing.

I had just made up my mind to risk the chances of forcing my way through the storm and snow to the hotel, when the door suddenly opened, admitting a fierce gust of wind and shower of snow, which extinguished my poor light and almost blinded me, then as quickly closed again.

I was completely taken by surprise, and for a moment did not observe the entrance of human figure. A scratching sound, succeeded by phosphorescent light, disclosed the tall figure of a man holding a lighted match in one hand, the other grasping a candle, which he was endeavoring to light.

My enemy in the military coat stood before me, his towering form assuming huge dimensions in the flickering nd uncertain light. His hair and whisk s filled and shoulders and breast cover with snow gave him a weird appearance w ile the belt around his waist, containing a large navy revolver an wicked lookir knife, suggested the c rtainty of mur

My advers ry stood with h ack against the door, t e only avenue escape. I braced mys lf and waited attack. As the candle burned clearer, ing a more steady lig . I saw the w h place his hand in hi bosom, then wi aw it, clasping a sma silver mounted olver, which I immedie ely recognized y own. To be murder d with my own apon!

"Look'e hyer, young m old Winans sent me d wn with this y er see, one o' the boys found it under desk arter you'd le old man says reckons you must ha' copped it out'en verlise when yer was doin' them pap it's a mighty purty e plaything, b don't think much it fur shootin' poses, side uv my old avy."

Almo stupefied with zement, I mechani ly extended my d and received the p

"An yer's sumthin' s sent, thinkin' as h ou'd need suthi oothin'," reaching ut a package of c rs and a small flask f what proved to b excellent brandy.

"An you, my friend," aid I, taking his rough hand, "whom have I to thank for the d livery of these favors?"

"Well, if yer means me, my name is Old Nat, out yer needn' th k me much, for, yer ee, the old ma ys me purty well fur oin' jest sech c and I've lived on the order too long d a skift uv snow and sprinkle uv sh eather, or to git ske'd at a rought like this."

other hour went by more quickly comfortable. Midnight had passed. nly the cheerful sound of a whistle berated o'er the prairie.

MAKING AND MENDING.

Useful Recipes for the Housekeeper and Jack-of-All Trades.

INSECT POWDER.—Pyrethrum flowers form the basis of the best insect powders, and, when fresh (and of the right sort), constitute, in fact, the best general insecticide. When they have been kept for some time they lose a portion of their powers in this direction. Such powders, however, may be reinforced by the addition of various substances, borax, quassia, naphthalin, etc. The following is a good formula:

Pyrethrum ("insect") powder...70 parts.
Quassia, in fine powder..........20 parts.
Naphthalin ....10 parts.
Mix.

Another excellent formula is as follows:

Insect powder ....40 parts.
Borax ....30 parts.
Quassia ....20 parts.
Chamomile ....10 parts.
Mix.

WATERING GRASS IN SUNSHINE.

It is a well worn fallacy that lawns should not be watered while the sun shines. Perhaps the only gain from this statement is to the owners of the water supply, as there will be less waste from sprinklers going all day long. Where deemed necessary, the water may be used in unlimited quantity in full sun-light so far as danger from the latter source is concerned. Some heavy, poorly-drained soils will not stand too much water, and this should be considered. —Mehaan's Monthly for June.

BEDBUG POISONS.—(Dispensing Pharmacist, Kansas City, Mo.)—Our correspondent wants a preparation which "must kill the insect and the eggs as well; it must not have a strong and offensive odor, and it must be cheap." We can easily fill any two of these conditions, but to fill all three of them is a puzzler. The best of bug destroyers with which we have made personal experiment is ordinary kerosene, or coal oil. This instantly kills the developed insect, and permeates and destroys the eggs. It has, moreover, the property of "creeping," or permeating narrow openings or crevices, thus following the creatures to their last resorts. It is cheap enough, but it has a disagreeable and offensive odor. Gasoline or benzine has the same properties, but is open to the same objection. The following is an excellent destroyer of the bugs and eggs:

Corrosive sublimate .... 1 part.
Camphor .... 2 parts.
Oil of turpentine .... 4 parts.
Alcohol, sufficient to make..16 parts.
Mix.

TO CEMENT IRON TO IRON.—TO MEND CRACKS IN STOVES.—Iron can be cemented to iron so firmly as to withstand the blows of a steam hammer, by the following process: Take six parts each of sulphur and white lead and one part of powdered borax. Mix well together. At the moment of application, wet the mass, or sufficient of it for the purpose, with strong sulphuric acid, and apply a thin layer of it to each of the surfaces to be united, then bring together under strong pressure and leave so. In the case of a cracked mortar, for instance, if possible, insert a thin wedge at the initial point of the crack and shove it in carefully, so as not to fracture the iron. Then commence at the lower point and shove the mixture into the crack. When the entire length of the fissure has been supplied with the cement remove the wedge, put a couple of rolls of strong copper wire around the object, and, with a pair of forceps twist the wire until it brings the opposite edges of the fracture into close contact. In the course of a short time the joint will be made as firm as any other portion of the article.

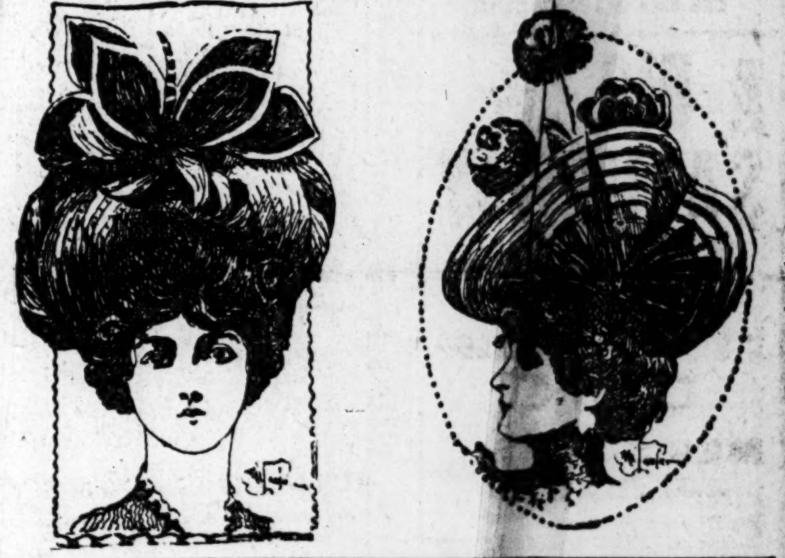
DEEP BLACK WRITING FLUID.—First prepare a clear logwood extract solution by dissolving 200 parts best French logwood extract in 1000 parts water, heating in the steam bath. Place the solution aside and allow to settle for about eight days. Pour off clear from the sediment which has formed. Thin 200 parts logwood solution with 500 parts water, heat in the steam bath to about 90 degrees C., and add, drop by drop, the following oxidation mixture, prepared from 2.0 potassium bichromate, 60.0 chrome alum and 100 oxalic acid dissolved in 150.0 water. Maintain the temperature another half-hour at 90 degrees C., thin with water to obtain 1000 total, add 1 per cent carbolic acid and allow to settle two or three days. Express clear and fill in bottles.

HOW TO STOP CRACKING IN METALS, GLASS, ETC.—Cracks, once started in pieces of cast metal, glass, porcelain, etc., are certain to keep on extending with every change of temperature until they finally reach a point when complete fracture is achieved. To stop such a crack in, say, a piece of cast iron, or a plate of glass, nothing is so effectual as to bore a hole at the exact end of the crack. If the hole is not bored, however, at exactly the right place, the boring accelerates, rather than hinders the fracture. In order to ascertain this point, moisten the crack with petroleum and instantly rub the surface with a rag, and apply chalk in powder, or rub a bit of chalk along the line. The oil, which has penetrated to the ultimate point of fissure, exudes, and thus indicates the exact termination of the crack. Bore your hole just sufficiently beyond this to miss the end of the crack, and you will be safe from further fissure.

CLEANING MARBLE.—To take stains out of white marble, take one ounce of ox-gall, one gill of lye, one and one-half tablespoonfuls of turpentine; mix, and make into a paste with pipeclay; put on the paste over the stain and let it remain for several days.

VARNISH FOR WRITING ON GLASS.—Dissolve in 500 grams of ether, 30 grams sandarac and a like quantity of mastic. Add benzine to the solution, little by little, until a drop of the mixture spread on glass gives it the appearance of ground glass. It is now ready for use. The plate to be covered with it is first rubbed with a cloth saturated with petroleum and wiped dry. The varnish is then floated on. If it is desired to have the plate quite opaque, like coarsely ground glass, the operation of "floating" should be repeated. This surface, when dry, can be written or drawn upon with pen or pencil, and the lines can be made of any desired fineness. It goes without saying that a plate, thus prepared, answers pretty much all of the purposes of ground glass.

PRETTY HATS FOR MID-SUMMER.



JUST A MINUTE WITH THE POST-DISPATCH HUMORISTS.

A BALLAD OF BUGS.

The "kissing bug," a peculiar insect of unknown species, has made its appearance in several of the Eastern States and is headed straight for the Mississippi River.—News note.

Oh, news of all good news the best
I heard so brief a while ago
I cannot still my heart's unrest,
And I keep asking: "Is it so?"
Oh, bear the news to Fan and Flo,
To Ethel, Kate and all the rest,
For every one of them should know
The kissing bug is coming West!

Who would not have him for a guest,
This little bug, or fast or slow,
Who goes upon his airy quest
A harbinger of joy? For oh,
What pleasures from his flight may flow!
What fancies bright! What moments
blest!
Oh, sing aloud! The world should know
The kissing bug is coming West!

Oh, guard our tender maidens, lest
This ticklish bug inspire them so
For lovers there will be no rest,
And osculation turn to woe!
We men are "bugs" enough, I trow,
As kissing maids have long confessed.
There's danger in the air! What ho!
The kissing bug is coming West!

L'ENVOI.

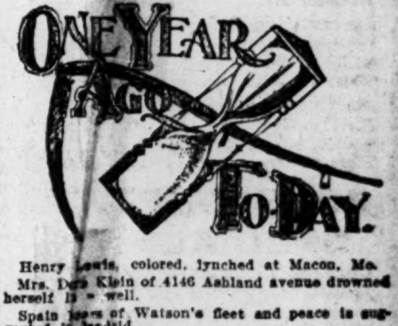
Princess, with bosom white as snow,
In summer garments gaily dressed,
What joy thy lover now may know!
The kissing bug is coming West!

J. GETCHER GUNN.

The attempted suicide of one of Col. Ed Butler's mules makes it clear that even a philanthrophist cannot look after the happiness of mankind and the animal kingdom at the same time.

After infinite gabble the Kentucky Democrats have nominated Goebel.

Marriages under the trees are highly a propriate to the summer season, and m do much t sure new branches to a fa ily.



ONE YEAR AGO TO-DAY.

Henry Lewis, colored, lynched at Macon, Mo.

Mrs. D Klein of 4146 Ashland avenue drowned herself i well.

Spain ears of Watson's fleet and peace is suggested i adrid.

Shafter personally inspects his firing line at El Caney.

Navy Department says Shafter's artillery has opened antiago.

First Missouri Regiment at Chickamauga Park seeks t transferred from the Third to the First Army Corps.

Dewey prepares to bombard Manila.

Schley's lying squadron merged into Sampson's fleet.

Admiral Camara keeps up his bluff about attacking Commodore Dewey.

Republican State League Convention meets in St. Louis.

Weather air and warm.

The Veteran's Comment.

From the Chicago Record.

"Great grief, mother!" he exclaimed, looking across the table at his wife. "Here's somthin' that'd make old Gen. Sherman turn over in his grave. They're goin' to celebrate the anniversary of the battle of San Jewan. Thunderation! The battle of San Jewan! Battle! Gosh, all fish-hooks! Battle! Say, if the old boys that 'uz with the Army o' the Tennessee ever started in to celebrate the annyversary of every durned little popgun skirmish like that battle o' San Jewan we wouldn't do nothin' but celebrate day in and day out, from one year's end to another. We'd have to get up in the n and annyverserate. Battle! Battle n'!

How to Keep Cool.

From the Houston (Tex.) Post.

The St. Louis Post-Dispatch is considering the er of how to stand the tropical weather y are having in that section, and is giving readers advice on that subject. It tells n that the way to keep cool is ot, and the way to keep from s to keep cool, and that getting ly a matter of habit anyway. Good that, coupled with wise deductions.

THE ROSE IN THE GARDEN.

He foll her into the garden, where
A ro omed sweet and red,
And he her stand beside it there
And fully bend her head.
he beautiful, fragrant rose,
ard her gently sigh,
lowed after, upon tip toe,
art was beating high.

He stood where the maiden had
side
The beautiful, shing rose,
And he lovingly his head
And he buried
the pe
hat the fair

HAD OVERSTUDIED.

LORENA O'FALLON, JUST GRADUATED, A MENTAL WRECK.

WON HONORS AND A MEDAL.

Young Colored Woman's Ambition to Become a School Teacher Caused Her to Study Too Hard.

Lorena O'Fallon, colored, who graduated from the Sumner high school in 1898, is under observation at the City Hospital.

Her parents, who live at 4800 North Second street, say she is a mental wreck from overstudy.

Lorena is 19 years old. Her chief ambition was to be a school teacher. Six months before the examination she was attacked with brain fever. Upon recovery she pursued her studies.

Now Lorena declares her one aim is to be an elocutionist.

Despite her condition her memory retains its vigor and at time she talks rationally. Lorena is very fond of reciting from Tennyson's "In Memoriam" and Kipling's recessional, "Lest We Forget." She is also familiar with the classics, and has memorized a large part of Virgil.

At the Sumner graduation exercises Lorena carried off high honors and won a gold medal for elocution. The subject of her address was "When Doctors Disagree."

"It won't do any good to keep me in this cell," said the girl to the Post-Dispatch. "Better,' as Mrs. Willard says, 'Let a girl grow as a weed and do as she pleases so long as she does right.' "

Miss O'Fallon's father is in the employ of the Mississippi Valley Trust Company.

"The Mysterious Wand."—July 3.

JULY 4 CELEBRATIONS.

Postmaster General Smith Will Be at the Fair Grounds Tuesday.

There will be no one monster celebration of the Fourth of July in St. Louis—but a dozen or more. The municipal celebration, under the auspices of the Nation's Birthday Association, will be held at the Fair Grounds. The Merchants' League Club will hold forth at Concordia Park. The post-office employes have arranged for a picnic at Roth's Grove.

The Nation's Birthday Association has secured the promise of Postmaster-General Smith to attend, and it is possible that Gen. Jo Wheeler and Gov. Pingree will attend.

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SATURDAY
IN CASH FOR US AND
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IT'S A FAIR EXCHANGE—
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MEN'S DEPT. SPECIALS. ★

Wool Crash Suits—(5 shades), $8.00, $10.00 and $12.00; This Week $5.75
Linen Crash Suits—(Broken sizes), $5.00, $6.00, $8.50; This Week $2.75
Men's Fine Cheviot Suits—Handsome styles, $10.00, $12.00, $15.00; This Week $7.25

BOYS' DEPT. SPECIALS. ★

Children's Short-Pant Middy Suits—Very stylish and beautifully trimmed, $2.50, $3.50; This Week $1.48
Children's Wash Suits—(Denims and Galateas), middy and blouse styles, $1.25 and $1.50, Go This Week For........ 69c
Lot Children's Wash Suits—In cameline stripes, linens and crashes, very swell, $2.50 to $4.00; This Week $1.37
Big Boys' Long-Pant Suits—(15 to 19), in mixed cheviots and worsteds, regular $8.00 and $10 values; This Week $5.75

SPECIALS IN HATS. ★

Men's and Boys' Crash Hats—35c and 50c; Special Price 10c
Men's Soft and Yacht Shape Straw Hats—50c, 75c, $1.00; Special Price 25c
Men's Silk Crash Hats—Very fine, $1.00 grade; Special Price 50c

FURNISHING SPECIALS. ★

40 dozen Star Madras Shirts—$1.50 grade; This Week $1.10
13 dozen Silk Puff Bosom Shirts—$1.50 grade; This Week $1.10
5 dozen Fancy Madras Shirts—$1.00 and $1.25 grade; This Week 75c

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THE CITY RICHER.

SOMEBODY MUST PAY FOR THAT WATERED STOCK.

DIVIDENDS BOUND TO COME.

New Owners of the Street Railways Will Take Millions From the Pockets of the People.

It is stated that as a result of the sale of the St. Louis street railway properties and their consolidation by the Brown Bros. syndicate of New York, $19,500,000 in cash has come into the hands of St. Louisans who held the stock, and that the city is that much the richer thereby. Nobody doubts that such a sum of money has been paid for the roads, and that it all goes into the pockets of a few St. Louisans. But thousands will doubt that the city is any richer thereby. In fact, it may be proven that the city at large is really poorer for the apparent gain.

This money has been or will be paid for four railroads, the Lindell-Missouri, the Scullin, the People's and the Southern-National. For the first system $9,500,000 was paid. This represents capital stock, franchises, rolling stock, roadbed and power houses. The value of these 's to be arbitrarily increased to $20,000,000. This is permitted by the law Gov. Stephens signed a short time ago. The gain in wealth to a New York syndicate on this one system is $10,500,000, without a dollar of real value being added to the system.

The Scullin system cost the New York people $4,000,000 or thereabouts. Its value is to be increased to $20,000,000, enabling the New York syndicate to pocket $16,000,000 without a dollar being added to the real value of the property—merely because a Governor wrote his name to a bill, making it law.

The New York people will pay $1,220,000 for the People's road. Its stock and bond value will be increased to $4,000,000 without any real increase in value, giving the syndicate $2,780,000 profit by the deal.

No announcement of increase of stock has been made for the Southern-National, but it will come when the sale is assured. It cannot be less than an increase to $20,000,000, if the rule of other increases is adhered to. The purchase price is said to be $5,500,000, giving the purchasers a profit of $14,500,000.

Thus, while $19,500,000 will have been paid to a few St. Louisans, fewer New York capitalists will gain $43,780,000 on that outlay. This profit is based on watered stock. The real value of the properties has not increased. The few capitalists who control have simply got together and concluded to make $19,500,000 $43,780,000. The law of Missouri, since the Governor signed that bill, permits this method of coining money.

So while about $19,500,000 has come into St. Louis, enriching a few people, the great mass of the people have lost $43,780,000.

They have lost it in the sense that a man loses his farm when he puts a mortgage on it and then loses the money he has borrowed. They will pay interest on the debt just the same. Heretofore they have been paying interest on only about $19,500,000, now they must pay interest on $43,780,000.

There will be a still further loss to the people in the discharge of many employes. The consolidation of power houses will render possible a large decrease in the working forces and numbers of men will thus be thrown out of employment.

The holders of the the new watered stock will expect as large dividends as have been paid in the past. This has varied, but assuming that an average dividend of 6 per cent is squeezed out of the consolidated lines, the amount that will flow from St. Louis annually on the water in the stock will be $2,626,800. On the whole stock and bond value of the four properties they will pay $3,796,800 in interest annually. On this basis, it will take the whole people of St. Louis about 6 years to pay back to the New York syndicate the original $19,500,000 which was paid to a few St. Louisans for their stock. After that they must keep on paying interest on the mortgage, ad infinitum.

The St. Louisans who are said to have profited chiefly by the sale of the four systems are Edwards Whitaker, C. D. McLure, Henry C. Haarstick, A. D. Brown, W. H. Thompson, the Capen estate, J. C. Van Blarcom, John and Harry Scullin, Judge Madill, Edward Butler, James Campbell, C. M. Seaman, the Orthweins, Corwin H. Spencer, Henry Hicolaus and William J. Lemp.

MAYOR'S OFFICE BESIEGED.

Hundreds of Applicants for the New Appointments.

Mayor Ziegenhein's office is the Mecca of hungry Republicans these days. Several thousand positions are to be distributed among the faithful very soon, and the faithful are not allowing the grass to grow under their feet in laying their lines. All strings they bring into play lead to the Mayor's office.

Politicians great and small were at the office Friday morning. John B. Owens looked down upon the common herd from the Mayor's private office. Supt. Runge of the Insane Asylum made so free as to sit at the Mayor's desk and actually write a note on the Mayor's note paper and with the Mayor's pen. He smiled proudly as he did it.

Internal Revenue Collector Grenner, in a pongee silk coat, smiled benignly upon the multitude from a place near Son Fred's desk. There were many persons who wanted to talk to him, and he was pleasantly agitated by the demand upon his time and attention. He rubbed his hands delightedly as each new applicant approached and begged a word with him. Chris Schawacker was there, too, now in earnest conversation with the Mayor, now with Mr. Grenner, now with some low-browed striker of his from the "Fift." In the hoi-polloi of applicants for jobs were negroes and whites, indiscriminately mixed, gobbling, smoking, sweating, fuming, swearing, laughing, according to their dispositions and hopes of success.

One figure in this political medley must not be forgotten. It is that of Julius Wurzburger. He was all-pervading. Everybody wanted to talk to Julius. He wore a properly important expression. A stranger not knowing either Julius or the Mayor might have assumed that Julius was the Mayor. Julius allowed no rude familiarity. He drew the line about himself, and he who approached must do so in reverent and respectful manner. The crowd made way for him as he passed to and fro.

It is given out at the City Hall by those who are near the Mayor that no appointments to subordinate positions are to be made until after the appropriations bills are passed.

HAMILTON WAS AT SEDALIA.

He Had Several Business Schemes Which Did Not Work.

John W. Hamilton, under arrest here on the charge of using the United States mails with intent to defraud, made a chapter of unenviable history in Sedalia last fall, so a dispatch Friday morning says. Registering at Hotel LeGrand, he gave Cleveland, O., as his place of residence, and announced that he was there for the purpose of organizing a stock company for the manufacture of novelties, chief of which was to be a reclining or invalid's chair.

Hamilton met many of Sedalia's representative business men, but they did not take kindly to his scheme, as it had been learned that he had operated at Sweet Springs. In fact, one of the branches of Hamilton's novelty business was to engage in the bottling of Sweet Springs water on an extensive scale in Sedalia and arrange for its sale throughout the United States.

Finally Hamilton gave it out that he had purchased, on credit, the Kentucky street planing mill at Sedalia, and great things were promised from it. A little later, however, Hamilton disappeared, leaving several people to mourn his departure by reason of unpaid bills, and nothing further was heard of him until the St. Louis papers noted his arrest.

Teachers' Special to

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For One Week Only, Beginning To-Morrow and Ending Next Friday at the Good Luck, N. W. Cor. Sixth and St. Charles (Good Luck Corner).

GENUINE ALL-WORSTED FAST COLOR
BLUE SERGE
COAT AND VEST,

An ideal summer garment, very dressy and at the same time light and cool. All seams are turned and double stitched and pockets stayed. Now hear the price:

$2.95 FOR COAT AND VEST.

If it wasn't for the fact that the Good Luck manufactures them right here in the Good Luck Building, on Sixth and St. Charles, they could not be sold for the price.

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Men's Plain and Fancy Silk Crash Hats	35c	Kid End Elastic Web Suspender	25c	Men's Elegant Shepherd Plaid Pants, at $5.00, $4.50 and..	$3.00
Swell Imported Fancy Sox	19c	Boys' Stylish Straw Hats, black or blue bands	25c	Calfskin, Silk Stitched Nickel Buckle Belts	50c
Men's Bicycle Suits, rich values	$2.50	Men's Solid Blue Chambray Working Shirts	38c	Boys' Cassimere Knee Pants	21c

FLYER FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY ONLY—
SILK AND MADRAS SHIRTS—
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JUSTICE SLOW AND SWIFT.

Typical Cases in the Criminal Court Showing Some Differences in Their Disposition.

In the St. Louis jail to-day are three prisoners who have stood in Division No. 8 of the St. Louis Criminal Court, presided over by Judge John A. Talty, charged with murder in the first degree. One man, Frank B. Callaway, has been convicted as charged. The jury disagreed in the case of another, Campbell Allgaier, and he will be tried again. George Knolle, the third of the three mentioned, has been tried, convicted of a lesser crime and is now serving his sentence.

The court records in each case follows:

ALLGAIER.

Killed George A. Baker	Aug. 21, 1898
Indicted	Oct. 27
Arraigned	Oct. 31
Continued by consent	Nov. 21
Change of venue from Judge Klein to Judge Talty's court	Jan. 23, 1899
Continued for defendant	Jan. 24
Trial began	Feb. 20
Trial ended—mistrial	March 6
Continued for defendant	May 8
Continued on affidavit	June 6

KNOLLE.

Killed James Jackson	Jan. 28, 1899
Indicted	April 17, 1899
Trial began	May 4
Trial ended and defendant convicted of manslaughter by jury	May 5

CALLAWAY.

Killed his wife	April 10, 1899
Indicted	April 12
Arraigned	April 21
Case set for trial for	May 15
Continued until	May 17
Continued until	June 14
Case transferred from Judge Klein's to Judge Talty's court	June 14
Trial opened	June 22
Trial ended—convicted	June 28

Another case of interest now pending in Judge Talty's court is that against ex-Detective John M. Williams. He is charged with killing two men on North Grand avenue during a primary election. The court record follows:

WILLIAMS.

Killing occurred	March 16, 1899
Indicted	May 3, 1899
Arraigned and gave bond	May 8, 1899
Continued by court	June 3, 1899
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WEST BELLE PLACE MYSTERY.

Two Women Exchanged Threats and Then One of Them Shrieked.

It was in West Belle place, near Pendleton avenue, and it occurred Wednesday night. The angelic girl, who was going home from the Highlands with a young man, tells it:

"We were chatting together and enjoying the moonlight when from across the street we heard a shriek. It was rather late, and all the houses were closed, but from the open upper windows of one house a light streamed. We stopped and looked and listened. Then I heard a woman's voice say:

" 'You awful thing, you dare tell that! It would ruin me forever! I'd have to leave the neighborhood!'

"Then the other woman screamed as if she thought the first one was going to attack her, but she said:

" 'I will tell! I think folks ought to know.'

"The first woman—the curtains were not drawn and we could see them, though not plainly—jumped up and shouted:

" 'I'll kill you if you do! I'll kill you!'

"At this, the second woman fell across the table and threw her hands up to protect her head, and I grabbed Mr. Blank and we That's all I know of it."

West Belle place is asking itself

TO SAVE HER PET DOG

MISS SUSIE LLOYD RISKED HER LIFE IN THE FLAMES.

RESCUED BY A NEIGHBOR.

Home Burned to the Ground Because the Fire Department Could Not Reach the Scene in Time.

Miss Susie Lloyd of Benton risked her life Thursday afternoon to save her pet dog. Quick action on the part of a neighbor is probably responsible for the young woman being alive and free from injury to-day.

Miss Lloyd is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lloyd, who lived at 6734 Garner avenue. Thursday afternoon she was the only occupant of the house when Mrs. J. B. Nicolson, a neighbor, called.

They were inspecting an ice cream freezer on the rear porch when Mrs. Nicolson heard a crackling noise inside the house, followed by a heavy jar. She called Miss Lloyd's attention to this and the latter went in to investigate.

Between the dining room and parlor was a closet under the staircase leading to the second floor. As Miss Lloyd passed this she threw open the door. Flames burst out and were soon feeding on the woodwork in the kitchen.

Miss Lloyd's screams brought Mrs. Nicolson into the room. There was then a wall of fire dividing the rear and front of the house.

Miss Lloyd's pet dog was in the parlor. She screamed to Mrs. Nicolson that she must save him, and opening the front door, she dived toward the advancing fire wall. Near it she staggered and would have fallen but for the stout arms of her friend, who fought the way for both through the furnace-like room to open air. Miss Lloyd cried again for her dog, becoming hysterical. Then she fainted and was carried to Mrs. Nicolson's home next door, after that cool-headed woman had disptached messengers for rallying the bucket brigade and turning in an alarm.

The house is on a hill, whose summit is reached by a circuitous route. The fire engine in Clifton Heights responded. The horses were too tired to make the hill. There was delay in hitching a new team and when the Lloyd residence was reached it was beyond saving. The department and bucket brigade did good work in keeping the flames from spreading.

Nothing was saved. The loss is $2500, covered by insurance.

Miss Lloyd had recovered from her fright Friday morning. She says she has no theory as to the fire's origin. In the pantry under the steps empty bottles and the kerosene oil can were kept. Both women say there was no explosion.

Some More Money Found.

Have you read about the $1 found on South Second street? We c ers' attention to summer clea

UNION IRON WORKER SHOT.

Gus Jantz Severely Wounded While Trying to Persuade Henry Tiemann to Join the Strikers.

Gus Jantz, a striking ironworker, living at 3737 Pennsylvania avenue, was shot in the left side and dangerously wounded at 6:45 o'clock Friday morning. He is 27 years old and married. He was sent to the City Hospital.

Henry Tiemann of 949 High street is locked up at the Third District station, charged with doing the shooting.

The shooting grew out of the strike of union ironworkers, now in force all over the city.

Tiemann, who is a non-union man, has been taking the place of a striker at the Union Foundry Company. The strikers have been very desirous of inducing the non-union men to quit work and join the strike. Jantz, according to one version of the affair, was endeavoring to persuade Tiemann to do thus when the shooting occurred.

The police say that while Tiemann was on his way to work about five men, among whom was Jantz, threw stones at him. Then, it is asserted, Tiemann drew his revolver and fired.

Dr. Nietert says Jantz will recover.

WORLD'S FAIR COMMITTEES.

Their Reorganization Expected to Bring Good Results.

The reorganization of World's Fair committees promises good results. Many offers of personal help outside of committee work are received at headquarters.

The Finance Committee expect an appreciable increase in subscriptions as soon as the working forces are given a fresh start. Gov. Francis and Pierre Chouteau, met the Finance Committee Thursday and began comparing the amounts received from each line of business with the amounts estimated.

Gov. Francis declares that the railroads will do their share. The contribution of the Big Four is expected this week. Those who have subscribed are the Missouri Pacific, Wabash, Burlington, Illinois Central, Frisco, M., K. & T. and Mobile & Ohio. The B. & O. S.-W. will subscribe its apportionment when its receivership terminates.

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Missionary Lawn Fete.

The lawn fete under the auspices of the missionary societies of the Webster Groves Presbyterian and Congregational Churches at the Watts place, Thursday night, was a great social success. Deacon's Orchestra played the opening number of the musical programme, which was followed by a vocal solo by Miss Hattie Law. Other participants were: Max Gottsch of St. Louis, who rendered two violin s Miss Ruth Lyle Sparks, Mrs. Charles and Mrs. C.

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THE FOURTH OF JULY PARADE.

Grand Marshal Campbell Promulgates the Line of March.

The Fourth of July parade of the Nation's Birthday Association will form on Twelfth street north of Pine; will move south on Twelfth to Walnut, east on Walnut to Broadway, north on Broadway to Washington avenue, west on Washington avenue to Fifteenth, south on Fifteenth to Locust, west on Locust to Theresa avenue, north on Theresa to Bell, west on Bell to Grand avenue where those on foot will disband and take the street cars to the Fair Grounds, while the remainder of the parade will procede in line to the main gate of the Fair Grounds, Grand avenue entrance.

Business houses on this line of march are requested to have their buildings suitably decorated.

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HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by woman to do general housework; more for home than wages. 1926 Franklin av., upstairs.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by colored girl to do housework, or good laundress. Call 1024 Leffingwell.

HOUSEGIRL—Girl wants place for housework. 1316 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by middle-aged woman to do general housework private family; no washing. 924 N. 15th st.

HOUSEGIRLS—2 girls want sit. to do general housework; no objection to country; best ref.; apply for 2 days. 3615 Evans av.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by German girl for light housework or nursing. 3608 Morgan st.

HOUSEKEEPER—A German lady, middle-aged, without children, wants a position as housekeeper for widower. Ad. T 54, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Young woman, with child, wishes position as housekeeper or cook; more for good home than wages. Call 2814 Locust st.

LADY—Wants position in doctor's office. 1827 Lafayette av.

LADY—An intelligent young lady wishes sit. in office. 3915 Finney av.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by experienced laundress; to go out by day. 4325 Cottage av.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by nurse for sickness of any kind; $1 day; refs. Mrs. Frahm, 1118 N. Sarah st.

NURSE—Sit. by an experienced nurse; any kind of sickness; physicians' references. Mrs. R. Ewing, 3112 Brantner pl.

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NURSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by middle-aged, experienced nursegirl, German, to take entire care of small baby; 1st-class refs. 3341 Lucas av.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. wanted as nurse or assist in housework. 2816 Lemp av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, small family; good wages. 5054 Raymond.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 4207 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in general housework. 4819 Fountain.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; German preferred. 1841 Cass av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1218 Ridge av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A white girl for housework; without washing or ironing. 4210 Finney av., call Saturday morning.

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14 words or less, 10 cents.

BOARDERS WANTED—Nice cool front room, furnished; suitable for 2 men; nice table; modern conveniences; home comforts. Address E 148, Post-Dispatch.

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COOK AV., 4216—Large, cool desirable front room for 2 or 3 adults; also southern room; 1st-class board; reasonable.

COOK AV., 4134—Elegantly furnished room, on 1st floor; north, south and east exposure; in private family; prefer settled lady; board across street; half block to Lindell car line.

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FRANKLIN AV., 3016A—Elegantly furnished 2d-story front, with alcove; excellent board; reasonable; private family.

FRANKLIN AV., 3431—Lovely front connecting rooms; 2d floor; southern exposure; stationary washstand; furnished or unfurnished; shady ground; home cooking; board; $5 weekly; to adults.

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LACLEDE AV., 3112—Furnished front parlor and hall room; all conveniences; meals if desired.

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LOCUST ST., 2930—The Admiral; handsome rooms; coolest in city; elegant lawn; choice cuisine; parlors, smoker, telephone; lowest summer rates.

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LUCAS — Nicely furnished 2d-story front; terms reasonable.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

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COUNTRY BOARD WANTED.

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BOARD WANTED—For girl of 10 years, pleasant home in suburbs or country; farm preferred; give full particulars. Ad. T 51, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

14 words or less, 10 cents.

BASEMENT WANTED—Widow wants to rent good basement or one room, unfurnished, near 10th and Olive. Add. W 57, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—1 or 2 unfurnished rooms; east of Jefferson av. Ad. R 53, Post-Dispatch.

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BOARD WANTED—Board and room, where lady will care for small child during day. 815 N. 9th.

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ROOMMATE WANTED—Gentleman whose wife is away for summer, desires roommate; front room; good board. 1810 Rutger st.

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AUDUBON AV., 4561—Modern 8-room dwelling; 2 blocks south of Forest Park bl.; $25.

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FLATS FOR RENT.

14 words or less, 10 cents.

ARCO AV., 4416—4 and 5-room flats; new; all modern convs.; laundry; $16.

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FLAT—For rent, 2d-story flat, 4 rooms; West Chestnut st.; cheap to nice tenants. Ad. E 187, Post-Dispatch.

FOURTEENTH ST., 1126 N.—(And 1115 Benton)—Two nice 3-room flats.

FOURTEENTH ST., 1831 S.—Elegant new 4-room flats; rent $14; very cheap.

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WALTON AV., 771—Four-room flat; upper; newly decorated; bath; every convenience; large porch and yard; very cool; janitor service; $16; key 4601 Bell, adjoining; Suburban or Lindell.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.

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BLAIR AV., 1512—1 furnished flat; complete for housekeeping; $11 per month.

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FRANKLIN AV., 3221—3-room fur. flat; gas range screens, bath; for couple $15; references exchanged.

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DESK ROOM—Best location in city; 1611 Chemical Bldg.; corner rooms, top floor; magnificent view.

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14 words or less, 20 cents.

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BOARDING HOUSE—For sale, boarding and rooming house; a good location; reason for selling, sickness in family; at your own price. 1336 Franklin av.

DRUG STORE FOR SALE—I, the undersigned, will, on Monday, July 3, 1899, at 2 p. m., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the entire contents of the Allen-Warren Drug Store, on the premises, located at 716 Olive st., consisting of drugs, chemicals, toilet articles, fixtures, soda fountain, etc.

ALLEN-WARREN D. & S. CO.,
Per A. H. Warren, solvent partner.

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HORSES AND VEHI

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Wanted.

BUGGY WANTED—Lightweight, rubber-tire buggy; price must be low. Ad. H 80, Dispatch.

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HORSE, ETC., WANTED—The use of horse and harness for a few days each week; state full particulars. Ad. M 57, Post-Dispatch.

WAGON WANTED—Light spring wagon; cheap; state price. Ad. M 56, Post-Dispatch.

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14 words or less, 20 cents.

Wanted.

BOILER WANTED—A 20-horse power tubular boiler, without dome; must be in first-class condition. Add. Doniphan & Co., St. Joseph, Mo.

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MINING—For sale, several good dividend paying mining properties in Joplin district, showing net earnings from $1000 to $3000 per month; the present weekly earnings will pay the purchase price of these properties in 6 months; interest in good lease for sale. W. G. Stevens, Empire City, Kan.

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ALL applications for loans on household goods, pianos and other security receive our prompt attention; payments arranged in any manner desired, business strictly confidential. N. Y. Finance Co., 207-8-9 Odd Fellows' Bldg., 9th and Olive sts.

ARE you employed on a regular salary? We have $25,000 to loan to bookkeepers, clerks, as well as railroad clerks, postal clerks, mail carriers or any person employed on a regular salary by firms or corporations; we make loans for 1 month to a year's time; our rates are by far the lowest in the city. American Financial Co., 318 and 319 Security Bldg., s. w. cor. 4th and Locust sts.

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EASY PAYMENT LOANS.

Borrow money from us on your furniture or piano; lowest possible rates, with a discount if paid before due; business confidential. Fidelity Brokerage Co., 914½ Olive st., room 1.

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SMALL CASH PAYMENT.

Balance monthly, will buy the last one of those brand-new 5-room brick houses on Connecticut st. and Bent av.; reception hall, parlor, dining-room and kitchen on first floor, two bedrooms and bathroom on second floor; all slate roof, granitoid cellar and walks; close to schools and churches; don't fail to see this before you buy a home; sold four last month; the last one on sale; come out Sunday; take Tower Grove car, get off at Arsenal st. and Bent av., south side of Tower Grove Park, walk south to Connecticut st. F. E. NIESEN, 705 Chestnut st.

COTTAGE—For sale, a nice 4-room cottage; 25 feet of ground; city water, sewer; room for horse and carriage; only $1450; see owner for terms. R. H. Dean, 4227A Maffitt av.

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14 words or less, 20 cents.

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South of Tower Grove Park. Before you buy a lot to build your home come and see what fine lots I have for sale for $14 per foot and upwards; beautiful, high and growing neighborhood; take Tower Grove car, get off at Oak Hill av.; inquire for Mr. Moyle, 4048 Hartford st. Come out Sunday and see me, or call at office. F. E. Niesen, 705 Chestnut st.

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LOT—For sale, beautiful 50-foot lot, Woodlawn Park, Kirkwood; $5 cash, $5 monthly; $ foot; will loan to build when half paid. Richardson, Room 407, Oriel Bldg.

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Party of Prospectors From Nevada More Comfortable Than Reported.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 30.—A story has recently been circulated to the effect that a party of miners who left Nevada several months ago to prospect in the North had perished from cold and hunger while in Siberia. Mrs. Norvall, whose son is one of the party, states most emphatically that there is no truth in the story. "The party never went to Siberia, nor had any intention of going there," she says. "As a matter of fact they are now camped ... beyond the Arctic with enough provisions to last through another season if necessary."

WEDDED AT THE AGE OF

Mr. ... nor D. S. Abbey, ... Henry C. McCook of the Fighting McCooks.

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GREAT SALE OF LADIES' BELTS.

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10 and 15-cent Ladies' Leather Belts	2¢
20 and 25-cent Ladies' Leather Belts	5¢
25 and 50-cent Ladies' Bodice Belts	5¢
50 and 75-cent Ladies' Leather Belts	10¢
75c and $1.00 Ladies' Metal Clasp Leather Belts	25¢
$1.50 Ladies' Real Seal Metal Clamp Leather Belts	50¢

Remnants in White.

A snowdrift of White Goods, short lengths—part pieces measuring from 2 to 7 yards—choicest collection we have placed on sale in some time—fabrics worth up to 10c a yard.

White Lace Striped Lawns
White Etamine Lawns...
White India Linens.....
Friday, **4¢** *a Yard.*

Good quality Cotton Diaper, 18 to 22 inches wide, in five-yard pieces, worth up to 7½c a yard .... *Friday,* **4¢**

A little pile of fine Checked Dimity Remnants, suitable for infants' and children's wear—worth up to 10c a yard .... *Friday,* **5¢** *Yard*

Hosiery.

More than a million stockings it takes to cover St. Louis feet. So these ought to turn thousands of feet toward our store.

Boys' Fast Black Seamless Hose, 2x1 rib, excellent value at 15c pair	10¢
Infants' Fast Black Cotton Hose, plain or ribbed, reduced from 25c a pair to	10¢
Men's Fine Seamless Hose, black or tan, good values at 15c	10¢
Ladies' Fast Black Seamless Hose, silk finished, with high spliced heel and double sole—cheap stockings at 15c a pair, for	11¢
Ladies' Black Imported Hose, Derby Rib, regular 25c grade, three pairs for 50c; one pair Friday for	17¢
Men's Fancy Plaid Hose, fine goods, that sold regularly for 35c	18¢

Bring the Boys.

Bring them to Nugent's Friday and fit them out with the coolest of summer garments at prices that will not "make you hot"—prices that send a "cold chill" down the backbone of competition:

Washable Pants, made of a woven fabric that will not part with the slightest shade of color in the washtub—sizes 3 to 8 years—per pair .... **15 Cents**

Summer Coats, the kind we've been selling until now for 79c. All are desirable dark colors. Only the 16 to 19 year sizes are left. We will close them out now for .... **50 Cents**

Washable Blouse Suits, made of plain linen crashes and neat stripes—all fast colors, sizes up to 10 years—complete for .... **50¢**

Double-Breasted Washable Suits, made of a tan crash that will look even better after washing—every seam lapped and double stitched, regular $1.50 suits—in sizes up to 15 years .... **95¢**

Summer Hats—Straw Sailors and White Duck Military Caps for small boys for *15c.* Large Boys' and Small Boys' 50c Straw Hats for .... **25¢**

Trimmed Hats Tumble.

Down, down they go to the lowest price notch. The values are stamped all over them as plainly as the figures on a greenback.

300 Trimmed Hats, put together by deft hands with taste and skill—Tuscans and Fancy Chip Braids — beautiful hats, garnished with stitched bows, ribbons, malines and flowers — just three hundred — come and see them Friday morning, admire them all, pick out the one you like best and pay for it with a

Two-Dollar Bill.

A Ten-Cent Sale of Ladies' Neckwear.

Friday we'll sell 30 dozen Ladies' Washable Puffs and Four-in-Hands, plain white or colored, in piques, lawns and madras, regular 50c, 35c and 25c kinds... *For* **10¢**

Friday we'll sell Pique and Satin Stocks, whose regular value is 25c each .... *For* **10¢**

Friday we'll sell Ladies' Lawn Ties, two yards long, trimmed with three rows of Valenciennes lace, regular price 25c...... *For* **10¢**

Friday we'll sell a few slightly soiled Bows, stocks with bows, Jabots, etc., which, before they got soiled, were marked to sell for $1.85, $1.50 and $1.25 ...... *For* **10¢**

Short Talk to Travelers.

How are you off for Trunks and Bags? If not equipped to your hearts' content how about these:

		Friday.
$1.80	Grain Leather Club Bags	$1.25
$2.75	Olive Gladstone Bags	$2.00
$4.25	Imitation Alligator Suit Case	$2.00
$4.25	Olive Dress Suit Cases	$2.50
$5.25	Olive Grain Leather Oxford Bags	$4.00
$6.25	Real Alligator Oxford Bags	$5.00
$7.35	Real Alligator Cabin Bags	$5.00
$8.95	Real Alligator Cabin Bags	$6.50
$3.75	Canvas Covered Trunks	$2.75
$4.25	Canvas Covered Trunks, with sole leather straps	$3.50
$7.40	Steamer Trunks, brass trimmed	$3.50
$8.75	Fine Canvas Covered Trunks, leather bound	$6.50
$10.45	Fine Brass-Trimmed Trunks	$7.50

Lovely Lingerie for Little Money.

Soiled Corset Covers, an odd lot, all trimmed with embroidery, cut down from 19c and 25c to	10¢
Ladies' Cambric Umbrella Drawers, some trimmed with embroidery, others decked with plain tucked ruffle—garments that have been 35c and 49c	25¢
Muslin Skirts, good, fine cotton, in long lengths—Skirts that have been 45c, for	25¢
Mother Hubbard Gowns, with tucked yoke and cambric ruffle—gowns well worth 50c	35¢

B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO.,
BROADWAY, WASHINGTON AV. AND ST. CHARLES ST.

Record-Breaking Bargains in Cloak and Suit Dept.

The builders are almost ready to break through our walls. Before the dust begins to fly we must make quick work of selling great stacks of ready-to-wear garments. Hence such prices as these:

Separate Skirts*—Three Splendid Specials.*

At 45c, worth $1.	We offer Friday 300 White Pique Skirts, trimmed with three graduated bands in blue.
At $1.50, worth $3	Heavy Welt White Pique Skirts, with blue pique buttons. Nicely braided.
At $4.95, worth $8.50	Fine Pure Silk Brocade Skirts, in rich patterns. All sizes.

Ladies' Waists*—All Washable.*

$1.00 Waists for 50c	About 350 of the finest $1.00 Percale Waists ever offered. Sizes 34 to 40 bust.
$2.00 Waists for $1.00	Fine White Waists, with eight fine tucks of blue or pink across front. All sizes.

Girls' and Misses' Waists*—Will Launder Well.*

For 39c, worth 75c	Girls' and Misses' Fine Percale Waists, in sizes up to 32 bust.
For 75c, worth $1.25	Lot of Allover Tucked-Front Waists, in fine percale, with pearl buttons. All sizes up to 32 bust.

Girls' Skirts*—Made With Due Attention to Finish.*

For 95c, worth $1.50	Girls' fine Wash Skirts, in linen or blue denim, nicely trimmed. All lengths.

Girls' Dresses*—Superlative Bargain Friday.*

Girls' three-piece Suits, in cadet blue, red or natural linen color, nicely braided, sizes 6 to 14 years, worth $2.50 and $3.00—for Friday only **$1.50**

An odd lot of Girls' Fine Colored Organdy and Zephyr Gingham Dresses—Only ***$2.00*** for the $5 Dresses. Only ***$3.95*** for $6.50 and $7.50 Dresses. Only ***$5.00*** for $8.00 and $10.00 Dresses.

Bicycle Suits and Skirts*—Friday Round-Up.*

To finish up the season in Linen Bicycle Suits and Skirts we make a uniform price for the $1.75 to $3.50 suits of .... **50¢**

House Dresses*—Neat-Fitting Garments.*

$1.50 kind for 75c	Ladies' two-piece Percale House Dresses, with braid-trimmed waists. All sizes.

Parasols and Umbrellas.

15 Cents Friday for a lot of Children's pretty 50c Ruffled Parasols. Good large sizes.

$1.00 Friday for Ladies' fine $2.00 Colored Satin Parasols. All new this season.

$1.50 For Ladies' $3.00 Taffeta Silk Umbrellas, with latest novelty handle of German Weischel wood, ornamented with a bunch of red ivory cherries. About 200 left.

Babies' Heads--Babies' Feet.

Friday bargains this week to make both head and feet attractive—both head and feet comfortable.

Infants' and Children's Sun Bonnets, in blue or pink chambray and blue and white checked gingham—well worth 23c.. **10¢**

Infants' Low-Cut Kid Shoes, a lot of odd sizes—all colors, made of soft flexible kid, real value 65c .... **25¢**

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SHOT WAS REMARKABLE.

sed Her Left Hand and the Bul- Entered the Right Side of Her Head.

ITA, Kan., June 29.—The will of elle Slaven, the bank stenographer mysterious death last Wednesday has kept Wichita talking a week, n filed. She gave her fountain pen Ida Lane of Kansas City, the real to her father and what personal y she had to her mother. The fact young woman made a will was -day by Chief Jones of the Police ment as proof that the girl deliber- mmitted suicide and had contem- such action for a long time. The s dated April 3, 1899. The police not investigating with a view of that the girl was murdered. rdict of the Coroner's jury is sui-

Jobes has given out a statement that the young woman was mur- He says:

here do not believe she was mur- some one desiring to rob the he fact that the order in which she red does not pay in case of sui- d account for the anxiety of some murder. She never worked in the night. No bank officer saw a nan discussing work with Miss dnesday. The letter addressed ne was not found on top of the not true that Miss Slaven had for the last year; she was sub- iting spells. It is not true that mes made $100 a month; her to- was about $50 a month. The was not found unlocked at 2 ursday morning; Mr. Jobes was unlock it. It is not true that r found in Miss Slaven's hand her than the one she purchased Blanchard on the previous Wed- is not true that any books n the bank were disarranged or were any evidences about the ing signs of a search having

atement Mr. Jobes is fully sup- the President of the Wichita Club.

ures of the case which point to the peculiar wound and the fact irl in her letter to Miss Lane was waiting at the bank for a who was to dictate some steno- rk for her. A. C. Jobes, presi- Bank of Commerce, where Miss ked and where her dead body says the three letters found on ust have been written early in on. She was working for him 6 o'clock and Ernest Ram- treet railway employe, who corner next to the bank and treet railway passen- shot in or near the o'clock. The barbers confirm that story. heard by the trans- at killed Miss Sla-

the bank, who Slaven all the ork took her letters to her written be-fore that time. He says, too, that no work was done by Miss Slaven for any one outside of the bank during the afternoon and that no stranger talked with her about work so far as he has been able to learn. Beyond that the bank officials have no explanation of the girl's reference to the man who was to have work done, for whom she was waiting.

If suicide caused the death of Miss Slaven it was a most remarkable shot. The bullet entered her head just above the right ear, cutting the upper part of the ear and struck the skull two inches above and behind the left ear, yet all the witnesses agree that when the body was found the revolver was in her left hand with the index finger on the trigger.

I. W. Gill, the undertaker, says the hand was rigid and held the pistol so tightly that when the body was picked up the corpse still held the pistol. The girl's body fell flat on the floor and the hand which held the revolver was under her breast, while the right hand extended under the table. The bank officials assume that if it should develop that the girl was murdered it would reflect discredit on the bank, but there has not been any intimation anywhere that there was any fault on the part of any person connected with the bank. Mrs. Slaven, the girl's mother, was particular this morning to make this declaration. She said:

"I had thought some one secreted himself in the wash room of the bank before the door was closed and that he shot my daughter. When I learned that three shells belonging to her pistol were found on the table and that no papers had been moved, I concluded she was loading the pistol and shot herself by accident.

"I don't know how much money she had or whether she carried it about her. I thought she had considerable."

Miss Slaven's life was insured in the Fraternal Aid Association for $1000. The bank officials say that the Fraternal Aid Association does not pay suicide claims and the family would lose the $1000 if it should be shown that the girl killed herself.

COAL COMBINE IS A FACT.

All the Properties of the Pittsburg District to Be Under One Control.

NEW YORK, June 29.—The reported combination of the coal companies of the Pittsburg district is confirmed by John H. Jones. The new company will take charge at once. Bonds to the amount of $10,000,000 will be issued, drawing 6 per cent and running 50 years, together with $10,000,000 in preferred stock and $30,000,000 in common stock. The preferred stock will be guaranteed 6 per cent. The more expensive plants will be shut down. It will not be necessary to increase the cost of coal to the consumer in order to pay dividends; that can be accomplished by the saving in operating expenses.

TO SUCCEED BLAND.

Gen. Robert McCulloch of Cooper County Is a Candidate.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SEDALIA, Mo., June 29.—It is officially announced to-day that Gen. Robert McCulloch of Cooper County will be a candidate for Congress in the Eighth District, to succeed the late R. P. Bland. Gen. McCulloch is major-general of the United Confederate Veterans of Missouri, Confederate cavalry. He also served after the war as State Register of Lands. He owns a fine farm in Cooper County and is very popular with the ex-Confederates of the State.

"Bread Without Flour."

Thousands of families have no other bread in the house. They use the Shredded Wheat Biscuit as a cereal for breakfast. Split them in halves and heat through or toast in oven and serve at dinner and supper in place of sliced loaf bread, and there is no better bread in the world. Then why mix up dough and bake or eat poor food.

MEETING OF MEDIUMS.

SPIRITUALISTS' CAMP MEETING IN SOUTHWEST MISSOURI.

MESSAGE FROM SPIRIT LAND.

Arrangements for the Conclave of This Religious Faith at Springfield July 16.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., June 29.—The first annual meeting of the Springfield Spiritual Camp Association will begin at the Zoo Park on July 16 and end July 30.

The best speakers and mediums that can be obtained will be in attendance, among whom are the celebrated Mrs. Cora L. V. Richmond of Chicago, vice-president of the National Spiritual Association; D. W. Hull, one of the oldest speakers and the best Bible scholars in the field; C. W. Stewart of Springdale, Ark., a speaker of ability; Mrs. May Langdon of Chicago, a message medium, giving full names and dates; William Langdon, physical medium for materialization of hands and faces, independent writing and drawing on slates and porcelain; S. F. DeWolf, independent slate writer; Mrs. S. E. Tripp, materializing medium; C. M. Folsom, magnetic healer and trumpet medium, and many others.

The first day's programme, beginning Sunday, July 16, at 10 a. m., includes a welcome address by F. J. Underwood and Josie K. Folsom; response by D. W. Hull and C. W. Stewart; 2:30 p. m., lecture by Cora L. V. Richmond; spirit messages from the rostrum by May Langdon; 7:30 p. m., lecture by D. W. Hull; spirit messages from rostrum by Josie K. Folsom.

The officers of the association are: President, F. J. Underwood, vice-president, Capt. S. C. Mills; second vice-president, Thomas Pringle; corresponding secretary, J. M. Mitchell; recording secretary, O. H. McMurray; treasurer, E. R. Huxley; general manager, C. M. Folsom.

PATENT LEATHER PRODUCERS.

The Combination to Control This Trade Will Be Completed Within Few Days.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 29.—The combination of patent leather producers of Newark which has been under consideration for several months is at the point of completion. The trust, according to an authoritative statement, will be formed within a few days.

Joseph M. Byrne of Newark, who planned the combine, has secured the consents of 13 of the 16 leading patent leather firms of Newark.

These, it is said, control nine-tenths of the patent leather output in the United States.

The financial backing secured by Mr. Byrne is being supplied by New York bankers.

Experts have already examined the books and appraised the properties of the firms interested in the deal. The new company will be capitalized for at least $10,000,000.

The big firms of Newark and elsewhere that are still holding off, it is expected will come in soon, thus making a complete consolidation of the patent and enameled leather trade in America.

Half Rate Excursion

Fourth of July via Big Four Route. Tickets on sale July 3 and 4.

PARK IS HIS TEMPLE.

TOLEDO CLERGYMAN MEANS TO REACH THE PEOPLE.

PREACHING IN THE OPEN AIR.

Believes It Would Be Well to Close All Churches in the Summer Months.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TOLEDO, O., June 29.—The Rev. S. G. Anderson, the Presbyterian clergyman who stirred the city with his plan for municipal ownership, will start an innovation Sunday in Toledo, when he will take his stand on Riverside Park and preach to the people, leaving his church closed.

Mr. Anderson tells the clergymen if their people refuse to go to church the ministers should follow the people and preach to them where they are to be found.

Incidentally he declares he does not blame people for not going to church in a hot, poorly ventilated building.

Mr. Anderson said to-day: "I have almost concluded that churches should be closed on Sunday during the summer. I have noticed that people congregate in parks, drink soda water and then wheel home. I'm going to give them a short talk and a rousing song service. Some people call this a bluff, but if I get any encouragement next Sunday I will stick to it all summer. All Toledo is invited, and people can rest assured they will not be bored."

BUYING FROM THE GUN TRUST.

The Government Has Given a Contract to the Driggs-Seabury Gun Co.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—Unless Secretary Alger rescinds the order of Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn, revoking the contract with the Driggs-Seabury Gun Co., he may be accused of favoring trusts. Acting Secretary Meiklejohn several days ago revoked a contract for $700,000 worth of ordnance with the Driggs-Seabury Co., asserting that the company could not complete the order within the specified time. A contract was later awarded to the American Ordnance Co. by Meiklejohn at an advanced price of $170,000. The Driggs people claim that they could not complete the contract because of the machinations of the American company, who bought up material to embarrass them.

The American and the Driggs are the only two companies in the United States capable of filling the contract. The American Ordnance Co. is a trust, as it absorbed all the other gun factories. Driggs' agents contend that the American company is endeavoring to drive it out of business.

The statement was made direct by an army officer that Meiklejohn is interested in the American company. Mr. Meiklejohn said: "I am sorry I am not. I have not any interest in the American company."

Officialdom here contends that Secretary Alger, in order to keep a clear record regarding the trust policy outlined by Gov. Pingree, should give the Driggs company time to complete the contracts. The Secretary has taken no action. The Driggs and the American companies are the only bidders for the work. The Maxim-Nordenfeldt Co. of London made no bids.

ORDERS HARD TO FILL.

IRON MILLS PRESSED TO MEET DEMANDS OF CUSTOMERS.

MATERIAL CONTINUES SCARCE.

Russia's Order for 180,000 Tons of Steel Rails May Be Secured by the Carnegie Company.

NEW YORK, June 29.—Reviewing trade conditions, the Iron Age will say to-day: The close of the current month witnessed the end of many low-priced contracts on which makers of all kinds have been delivering. It is becoming more and more apparent that the markets will not, during the balance of the year, furnish buyers a pretext for canceling of contracts entered into so far. In fact, it looks now as though a good deal of tonnage will be carried into next year. Some of the larger concerns in the country are falling more behind instead of gaining on their commitments, and that may take the market well over the midwinter dullness.

So far as we can learn, the majority of the really live concerns are filled up for the balance of the year and can take orders only when they can arrange for postponement of older work. Some of the rail mills have thus found it possible to make some steel billets available.

Really important movements do not seem likely for a long time to come, and the question of next year's work will therefore be in abeyance except in those cases where material must be bought to cover contracts for structures, etc.

The scarcity of material continues all along the line. It is sometimes believed that it is artificial only because makers are making deliveries on old cheap orders, for the purpose of meeting the demands of consumers, who are paying higher prices on more recent orders. That may be done in some cases, but we believe that the majority of makers are doing their best to get the old orders out of the way.

In view of the fact that every mill is strained to the utmost to get out material, it is unfortunate that there is some danger of labor troubles. It looks as though the Amalgamated Association were ambitious to conquer lost ground in the Pittsburg district, where the majority of the iron mills are now non-union. It is not a question of wages, but a matter of organization, which may prove troublesome.

"In the tin plate industry, the American Tin Plate Co. has offered to pay an advance equivalent to that paid by the manufacturers of sheets. This amounts to about 11 per cent. The offers of the Amalgamated Association, not having the usual discretionary power to accept less than the 20 per cent advance asked, have referred the offer of the manufacturers to the several lodges for a vote. This will lead to a stoppage of at least a week to 10 days. It is not believed that a prolonged idle is likely.

A good deal of fuss has been mad the order of 180,000 tons of steel ra Russia. We are officially advised th has not yet been placed, although it se likely that the Carnegie Steel Co. will re ceive it. As early as last April these parties were in the market for 30,000 tons.

Pig iron has stiffened further and the furnaces are booking increasing quantities for delivery in 1900. The Southern furnaces have made some fair sales in Chicago, have placed mill iron in Pittsburg and in Cincinnati there was one sale of 3,000 tons of mill iron. They have also sold basic iron in Eastern Pennsylvania. In the latter district, too, one block of 10,000 tons of local basic has been sold at $13.75, delivered at tidewater.

Inquiries from abroad for pig iron continue large, but sellers here are cutting down requirements and will book only enough to hold the trade.

There have been s interesting moveme ments in the beam market. A local has taken 15,000 to of the store in Philadelph

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Another reorganization of the House of Delegates is predicted as soon as the general appropriation bill goes back to the House from the Council for concurrence in numerous amendments.

The plan of those who are engineering the reorganization is to place Delegate Holtcamp in the chair, and to elect George Martin, the former clerk, who was thrown out by the last reorganization, to that place.

The proposed reorganization seems to be the result of dissatisfaction among the majority who made the last one possible, with the way things have been going. They are sore over the alleged attempt of Delegates Bersch, Heims and Robertson to the House without consulting anybody else. The malcontents allege that the reorganization of several weeks ago has been turned to the exclusive benefit of these three gentlemen, and they who made it possible have received nothing but the husks of power and influence therefrom.

Delegate Gutke, whose vote made it possible for the last reorganization to occur, is counted upon to stand by the rebels in their contemplated uprising. Gutke acted the last time in accordance with the wishes of Councilmen Carroll and Kratz, who were then engaged in fighting the Mayor. But now that those gentlemen have been in a measure placated by the Mayor, they are expected to keep Mr. Gutke in line with any movement that will inure to the advantage of the administration.

The Council having turned down the bill allowing the appointment of over 100 probationary policemen, to obtain the passage of which Vice-President Harry B. Hawes of the Police Board brought about the last reorganization, it is thought that Mr. Hawes has taken his hands off the House and will make no attempt to retain control of the majority. So long as the Council remains stubborn about the police appropriations, control of the House would be of no advantage to Mr. Hawes.

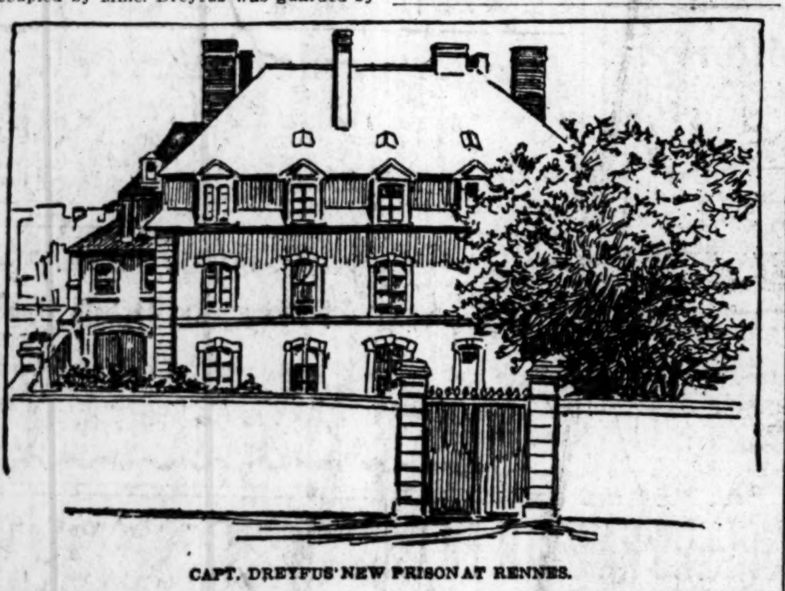
Everybod concerned professes to be densely ignorant of the plan to reorganize, and there is evidently a desire to keep it a close secret until the time for action arrives.

GUARDED BY FRENCH POLIEC.

Gendarmes Keep Watch About the House Occupied by Mme. Dreyfus at Rennes.

RENNES, France, June 29.—The house occupied by Mme. Dreyfus was guarded by gendarmes all night long, and at daybreak these policemen were succeeded by others. In addition a giant porter keeps the outer gate locked and barred.

No one is allowed to enter without the express permission of Mme. Dreyfus.



CAPT. DREYFUS' NEW PRISON AT RENNES.

THEY THINK HE WAS MURDERED

Adam Switzer's Iowa Relatives Are Looking Up His Death.

William Tavell of Sioux City, Iowa, called at the mortuary office Thursday morning to obtain the record of the death of Adam Switzer.

The mortuary records showed that the body had been buried in the Potter's Field, after death occurred at the City Hospital. The death certificate was signed by Deputy Coroner Douchsler, and the cause of death given is "an irritating poison, cause unknown."

Switzer's relatvies at Sioux City are wealthy, and they have received word that he was a victim of foul play. They sent Mr. Tovell to St. Louis to exhume the body and ship it to Sioux City, and also to investigate the circumstances surrounding Switzer's death.

The evidence adduced at the inquest showed that Switzer was found unconscious at the foot of Potomac street by a man named Nagel, and that he died without regaining consciousness at the City Hospital, June 22. He was a roofer by trade.

Mr. Tovell says that one month ago, Switzer's father gave $4000 to each of his children. Adam Switzer left Sioux City, coming to St. Louis. From that time his relatives lost sight of him until they heard of his death and burial in the Potter's Field. They also received word from an unknown source that foul play was at the bottom of the tragedy. They immediately commissioned Mr. Tovell to come to St. Louis, secure the body and investigate the rumor. Mr. Tovall engaged the services of a St. Louis undertaker and the body will be shipped in a metal casket. Switzer was about 40 years old.

A THOUSAND FROM MISSOURI.

any Delegates to Christian Church Convention.

St. Louis members of Christian Churches ill attend a convention in commemoration the fiftieth anniversary of the establish-ent of Missouri work in the Christian hurch, at Cincinnati, Oct. 13. to 20.

A thousand delegates are expected to go rom Missouri. A large committee, of which W. H. McClain is chairman, is work- up interest.

PETTIT'S WIFE BURNED.

Was Cooking at a Gasoline Stove and Her Dress Caught.

Word has reached friends in St. Louis that Mrs. Pettit, wife of Dr. Pettit, the well-known Democratic politician and editor at Greenville, Mo., was burned to death at her home Wednesday.

Mrs. Pettit was cooking at a gasoline stove, and the flames caught her dress. She vainly tried to extinguish them with her hands till, desperate by the burns, she ran out into the open air. Seeing hope in a small pond near the house, she ran toward it. She plunged in, extinguishing the flames, but she was so badly burned that she died a few hours later.

Dr. Pettit is well own to a great many politicians in St. is. He once served in the Legislature, was appointed physician at the Stat nitentiary by Gov. a short time.

"LITTLE GRAFTER" CHANG

His Former Gaiety and Defiance Give Way to Meekness and Gloom After Weeks in Prison.

The trial of Harry A. Nuttall, the "little grafter," charged with perjury, began in Judge Talty's court Thursday morning, William Erwin appearing for Nuttall. The morning session was consumed in the examination of jurors. Charles J. Price, Boiler Inspector, and H. H. Phelper, the prosecuting witnesses, were present. State Senator Major, chairman of the investigation committee before whom the perjury is alleged to have been committed, was present as a witness.

A bevy of young women and one young man, St. Louis High School pupils, were interested observers of the proceedings. They were under the guidance of Prof. John W. Spargo, instructor in civics at the High School, as they were present to take an object lesson in that branch of their studies.

Harry J. Nuttall, the "little grafter," who was the central figure around which the Major committee's investigation resolved a few months ago, is a changed individual. Incarceration in the St. Louis jail has made him so. Nuttall the insolent and defiant has become Nuttall the meek and beseeching. In January he demanded and received of Seargent Arens Rixey, at the Laclede Hotel, a dollar with which to buy drinks. In June he humbly begged a small piece of silver in the jail for cigarettes.

"There is no chance to get any money in here," he said apologetically.

"If I were on the outside I might do something."

He addresses reporters as "Mister" in these days. He is bitter only against fate, Phelper and Price. He is remorseful because of the intoxicated condition he was in when he went on the stand before the committee the first time. The "little grafter" always was neat in appearance. Now he is clean in speech as well.

Nuttall is cowed completely. He used to be a "good fellow" among "sports," peanut politicians and "grafters" about town. He joined in their revelry and generally led the band on festive occasions in their ranks. Now his sole divertisement is afforded by the ribald and brutal jests of the exercise yard in the jail. Nuttall was a master of slum speech and wit. He now commands their jargon and jokes. Said he to J. H. Marshall, alleged confidence man who is held for the grand jury on three warrants:

"Now, ain't it tough, old man, to think of you going up to stir for 15 years? If I were out, you know, I might get you three years in the House of the Good Shepherd on a plea."

Nuttall has one consoling thought in his reincarnation. He fondly cherishes the belief that he will be able to collect magnificent damages from somebody through the courts. Nuttael says:

"I'll shake down some guy for a couple o' thou'."

He complains but feebly of jail fare and smiles like a man haunted by pleasant memories at mention of the things he used to enjoy in chop houses east of Fourth street.

Nttael has undergone a complete change—and it has done him good. The crowd that laughed and enjoyed his tough tactics which turned the session of the major committee into chaos would not recognize him in the courtroom as the same man save by his stature and the dark, piercing eyes.

Nuttall, the "little grafter," is not his former self.

INQUIRING INTO CHARACTER.

Testimony Showing What Manner of People Mr. and Mrs. Edwards Are Heard by Judge Withrow.

The hearing of the Edwards habeas corpus case was resumed by Judge Withrow Thursday after a continuance of over a month.

The testimony all bbore on the characters of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards. Depositions in behalf the respondent taken in Enid, O. T., were read and several persons living in St. Louis testified.

L. M. Conkling, a St. Louis lawyer, said he was attorney for the receiver of the bank that failed while Edwards was connected with it. He said the assets were $16 while the liabilities considerably exceeded that sum. He said Edwards was a "high-flyer," in Enid and was known as a dashing gallant, who always had money and spent it freely.. He declared that Mrs. Edwards was considered a model woman.

Mrs. Alice Taylor of Fort Worth, Tex., a sister of Mrs. Edwards, and Dr. Adams of St. Louis, testified in Mrs. Edwards behalf.

Edwards was unable to be present at the hearing. He sent word that he was sick at the home of his father in Vernon, Tex.

Edwards is trying to get his child, Willie May, aged 9 years, from the possession of his wife, who, he charges, is not a fit person to have custody of the child. The case has been in the St. Louis courts since February.

ENTITLED TO THEIR PAY.

The New Justices Will Probably Get Their Salaries.

City Auditor Mason will probably retire from his position of refusal to pay the salaries of Justices Pollard and Spaulding and their clerks and deputies, as it is understood that City Counselor Schnurmacher is of the opinion that they are entitled to pay, even though they have done no work. Their failure to hold court was the result of the failure of the Comptroller and Mayor to find quarters for them.

Meeting of I Company.

A meeting of Company I, First Missouri Infantry, has been called for this evening, for the purpose of ascertaining definitely how many are to be discharged. Members who want discharges are expected to be present.

Harry McTooth as Coal Oil Inspector.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 29.—Gov. Stephens this morning appointed Harry M. Tootle, coal oil inspector for the city of St. Joseph, for a term ending June 25, 1901.

HAMILTON ACCUMULATING.

L POSTPONED TO JULY.

culiar Transactions In Cuba aled by Information From There.

The preliminary examination of J. W. Hamilton and W. J. Blake, charged with using the mails in furtherance of a scheme to defraud, was continued by United States Commissioner Gray Thursday until July 7. Evidence against the defendants is accumulating, and the Postoffice officials say the case is more serious than was at first supposed.

Present at the hearing Thursday morning was Blake's wife and three little children. Hamilton's young son was also there, and he cried aloud as his father was led away by a deputy marshal.

"I don't think I can get bond," said Hamilton, "as I am a stranger in the city. Those whom befriended have gone back on me. However, I have done nothing to be ashamed of. The business I conducted with Mr. Blake was strictly legitimate.

The concern was called the Victor Novelty Co., and we operated in various cities throughout Missouri. We dealt in all sorts of articles, and had fairly good patronage in patent medicines and furniture. Only this morning I received in the mail an order from a merchant in Springfield, O., calling for $6000 worth of goods."

Hamilton is about 45 years old, and lives at 1208 Washington avenue.

The headquarters of the Victor Novelty Co. were at 825 Chestnut street. Three or four stenographers and two clerks were employed.

The Government claims the company has no merchandise to sell, that it was incorporated for $75,000 purely with a view of disposing of that amount of stock to gullible purchasers. Hamilton sa d hme had been in St. Louis about six weeks.

Information has reached the Federal authorities that prior to his coming here Hamilton was engaged in peculiar transactions at Cuba, Mo. He made different propositions to merchants of that city, one of which reads as follows:

"I have made a trade on some St. Louis parties for from $10,000 to $15,000 worth of real estate. I am to pay them in stock in the four companies, namely, the Victor Novelty Co., the Cuba Novelty Co., the Carrolton Novelty Co. and the Pancost Novelty Co

"In order to complete the above trade I must incorporate the Cuba Novelty Co., in which brother and I have got $31,000 cash. You can see by what we have done in other towns that we have a first-class business. Now, if you will work for and talk for the Cuba Novelty Co. and be its president for one year I will give you one-fourth of what I make and guarantee that your share will not be less than one-fourth of $1000 cash; $600 will be counted as salary and $400 as commission.

"Now if you think your influence is worth more than one-fourth I want you to say so and then I will put up $1000 of stock in each company, making $4000 in all, and while you are awaiting to get the above stock I would turn over to you $12,000 of stock in the Cuba Novelty Co. That would control the four states which you could not buy for $8000 cash and you would hold that as collateral security.

"This contract will be made at once, if we have good success. In placing the other three States, if the profits should be more than $4000, and if yoour one-fourth should be $2000, you will get it new. Now we get four States for $25,000, which takes in the big State of Texas."

Blake's proposition was not stated clearly, and the recipient concluded that on its face it was a fraud.

Hamilton made himself prominent at the First Methodist Church of Cuba, where he led the services on numerous occasions. The minister in charge of the congregation, when it was found Hamilton's business plans had fallen through, out of sympathy, it is said, raised money for him to come to St. Louis.

Hamilton is a morphine fiend and craves for the drug continually. In need of cash recently he pawned his hypodermic syringe and is now obliged to take the morphine internally.

"The Mysterious Wand."—July 3.

GEORGE MARTIN AFTER A JOB.

He Has Several Lines Out and May Catch Something.

It is stated that if the proposed reorganization of the House of Delegates does not succeed. George Martin, ex-clerk of the House, will be appointed chief clerk in the office of the Commissioner of Supplies.

Mr. Martin has several irons in the fire. Besides expecting to be elected clerk of the House if it reorganizes, and this place in the Commissioner of Supplies' office, he is an applicant for appointment as the Republican member of the Election Board under the new law.

IT WAS A FAMILY AFFAIR.

All Contributed to Help Pay for the Marriage License.

The marriage license which was issued to James Balsano of 825 North Fourth street and Guisippina Catanzaro of 827 Franklin avenue Thursday was as nearly a family affair as it could be made.

Balsano said he was 25 years old and Miss Catanzaro said she was 17. Her father gave his written consetn to the marriage. When Clerk Filley demanded his fee for the license, Balsano contributed 25 cents, his mother 25 cents and Catanzaro 50 cents to a fund with which to pay it.

to Train.

Mrs. Mary Ann Morrison of Lebanon, Ill., gave birth to a boy baby in the drug store of Theodore Crucius, at 3401 Manchester avenue, about 9:30 o'clock Wednesday night. Mrs. Morrison, accompanied by a man, got on car No. 41 of the Laclede Avenue Line at Rock Springs.

The car had gone a few blocks when Mrs. Morrison asked the conductor where the nearest drug store was. The car was stopped at Crucius' drug store. Mrs. Morrison was assisted inside, and within a half hour gave birth to the child.

An ambulance was called, and the mother and child were taken to the City Hospital, where they are both doing nicely.

Mrs. Morrison had been visiting in St. Louis, and was on her way to Union Station to take a train for her home.

"The Mysterious Wand."—July 3.

50,000 MEN WILL BE IDLE.

The Tin Plate Mills All Over the Country Are Preparing to Close Down.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 29.—As a result of the failure to settle the tin plate wage scale at the Chicago conference, all the tin plate mills in the country are preparing to close down, and to-morrow at midnight there will be a general suspension. Nearly 50,000 men will beb thrown idle by the shut-down. How long it will last is a matter of speculation. Circulars have been sent out to all the lodges notifying them of the non-success of the Chicago conference, and it is expected that the sentiment of the men on the question will reach the local officials Monday next.

JOHN T. M'CANN IS STILL FREE.

The Authorities Seem In No Hurry to Send Him to Prison.

No steps have been taken by the authorities toward sending John I. McCann to the Workhouse. There is an apparent disposition to award the decision of the Supreme Court on the principles involved.

Mr. McCann was fined $100 in the First District Police Court for refusal to pay a license of $25 as a real estate agent. He appealed to the Court of Criminal Correction and the judgment was there affirmed.

This case has not been appealed higher, but a similar case a year and a half ago was carried to the Supreme Court by Mr. McCann. This latter case is to be passed on in October.

Two weeks ago a deputy marshal called on Mr. McCann and had a conversation with him, but did not serve commitment papers. Since that Mr. McCann has not been molested.

"I have received no [illegible]imation of the intentions of the autho[illegible]," said Mr. McCann Thursday. "I am [illegible]sposed to think that they have decided to await the action of the Supreme Court. It seems to me that I should not have been proceeded against again while the former case was still pending in the Supreme Court.

"I represented to the police court officials that I had been to $200 expense in carrying the former case to the Supreme Court to show that I was not actuated by a desire to evade the tax, but was simply contending for a principle. I also showed them how my efforts had resulted in increased assessment of franchises which increased the revenue of the city about $30,000. This may have influenced them not to crowd me unduly.

"I wish to have it understood that I am not in a defiant attitude. I am simply resisting the tax because I am convinced it is unlawful and I cannot conscientiously pay it."

STILL ENLISTING REGULARS.

Capt. Bailey Has Received No Order In Regard to Volunteers.

Capt. Bailey, the United States Army recruiting officer, is still making regulars of those entering the service. He stated Thursday that no orders had been received from Washington to enlist volunteer soldiers.

The captain says he is meeting with fair success. Since June 7 over 90 men have offered their services to the Government. Recruits for the infantry branch of the service are most desired. These are hurried at once to the Presidio at San Francisco, to be sent to Gen. Otis when they have become real soldiers.

Capt. Bailey believes the volunteer army will be popular as enlistments are for only two years, unless sooner discharged. He expects that many state militiamen will join the volunteer army. As far as the officers know now the conditions and requirements will be the same as those controlling enlistments for the Spanish war.

A dispatch from Washington says that Lieut. Ralph Harrison, of the Second Cavalry, a St. Louisan, has applied for a lieutenant-coloncy in the volunteer army. Lieut. Harrison is at present on duty with Capt. Bailey.

"The Mysterious Wand."—July 3.

SHE HAD PETER'S GOLD WATCH.

Agnes Wagner Arrested and Charged With Theft.

Agnes Wagner, 20 years old, and giving her residence as 1401 Washington avenue, is a prisoner at the Four Courts. She was arrested at 3:30 o'clock Thursday morning.

Charles Petri lives at 3739 Manchester avenue. Wednesday night he and the Wagner woman entered a hotel on North Twelfth street. Ae she was leaving Patrolmen Hunt and Noonan arrested her. In her possession was found a gold watch which Mr. Petri identified as his. He valued it at $100. He also claimed to have lost a roll of bills. The money was not recovered.

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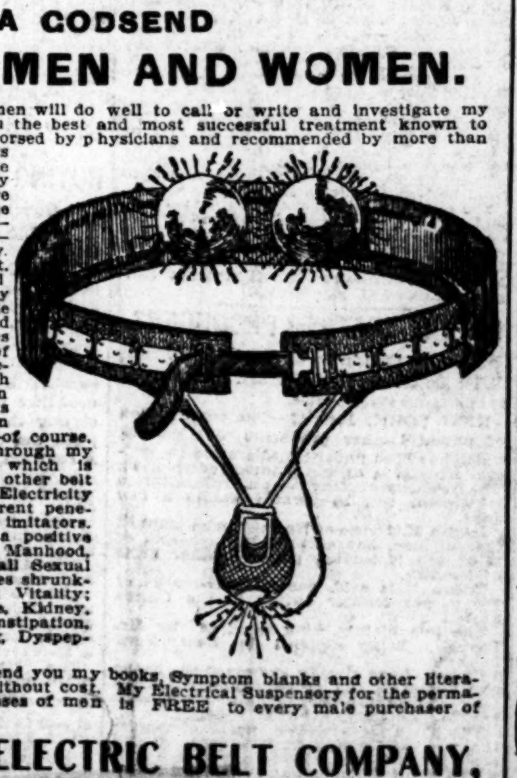

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All Remnants Friday at ½-Price.

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Printed Lawns.

Remnants of our 10c, 12½c and 15c Lawns for Friday slashed down to, yard,	5c
For a Friday bargain imported Lawns, new shadings, fast colors, splendid styles, a 20c quality goes at, yard,	5c

CRAWFORD'S.

White Goods.

10c Dimity cut to, yard,	6c
10c Apron Lawn, deep lace border, cut to, per yard	5c
30c Scotch Organdie, cut to, yard,	20c

All Remnants go Friday at ½-Price.

CRAWFORD'S.

Domestics.

Yard-wide Bleached Muslin, soft finish, cut from 6¾c to, yard,	4¼c
Bed Sheets—Androscoggin Mills, Bleached, sizes 2½x2¾, cut from 59c to	39c

All Muslin Remnants Friday ½-Price.

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Linens.

Pure Linen Toweling Crash, fast selvedges, 20 inches wide, cut from 10c to	4¼c
Large Size Double Warp Turkish Bath Towels, cut from 10c to (each)	5c
$1.00 quality Fancy Linen Lunch Cloths, cut to (each)	39c

All Remnants Odds and Ends Friday one-half regular price.

CRAWFORD'S.

Laces.

All sorts and kinds of Laces that sold at 10c, 15c and 20c yard, cut down to (yard)	5c
Ladies' Fancy Madras Puff Scarfs, cut from 25c to (each)	5c

All Remnants Laces and Embroideries Friday at one-half price.

CRAWFORD'S.

Handkerchiefs.

Ladies' and Men's Assorted Lots, special for Friday sale, cut from 10c to (each)	5c
Ladies' Initial Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, were 15c, cut to (each)	7c
Ladies' Swiss Scalloped and Embroidered, were 25c, cut to (each)	12½c

CRAWFORD'S.

Millinery.

Ladies' Bell Crown Leghorn Hats, cut from $1.25 to	69c
Children's Fancy Mull Hats and Leghorns that sold at 75c, 85c and $1.00, all cut down to	25c
Children's Caps, slightly soiled, that sold at $1.00 to $2.00, all cut to	50c
Ladies' White Japanese and Milan Braid Sailors, cut from $2.25 down to	$1.38
Children's Caps, slightly soiled, we sold at 39c, 45c and 50c, for Friday, at, each	15c

CRAWFORD'S.

Gloves.

Ladies' White Summer Gloves, were 25c, now	5c
Misses' Black Silk Mitts, were 25c, now	5c
Ladies' Chamois Gloves, were 75c, now	55c

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Ribbons.

1½, 2 and 2½-inch Black Belting all go Friday at (yard)	2½c
All-Silk 4-inch Taffeta and High-class Novelty Ribbons, were 25c, Friday at (yard)	15c
4 to 5-inch very latest fancy Novelty Ribbon Creations that sold at 38c and 50c; Friday at (yard)	21c

Men's Furnishings.

An odd lot Men's Balbriggan and Fancy Drawers that sold at 25c and 35c, cut to (each)	15c
Scriven's Elastic Seam Drawers, cut from $1.00 to (pair)	63c
Men's Fancy Striped Silk Bosom Shirts, were $1.00, now cut to (each)	47c

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Lace Curtains.

Fine Scotch Lace Curtains, big assortment of designs, regular prices $6 and $8; cut for Friday to, pair,	$1.35

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Hosiery.

Ladies' Imported full regular made Fine Cotton Hose, high spliced heel and toe, colors tan, black, tan, pearl, gray, cut down to (pair)	10c
Ladies' Imported 40 Gauge Fine Fast Black and Children's Fancy Plaid Hose, were 25c and 35c; cut to, pair,	9½c

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25c Blue Medicated Soap,
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25c Violet Buttermilk Soap,
per box,
15c Bay Rum, per bottle,
15c Florida Water, per bott
15c Baily's Talcum Powder,
15c Witch Hazel, per bottle,

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Lot of Soiled Waists, worth
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width and length, were 60c,
Ladies' Cambric Drawers,
with ruffle of embroidery
of tucks, were 50c, cut to

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5c Skirt Braids for
10c Pearl Buttons, per dozen,
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10c Tailor's Wax for
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